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	Arrivals. April 22, Oracle, Peruvian ship, 1,199, Erguiaga, Macao 22nd April, Ballast.—	Banks. COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.	To be Let. TO LET. NE GRANITE GODOWN at Wandhi.	AUCTIONS. PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auc-	T ANE. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by	STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.	ON THE CRICKET GROUND.
	Russell & Co. April 22, Cassandra, German steamer, 1,042, H. Langer, Shanghai 18th April, Gene- ral.—Wm. Pustau & Co.	7th and 8th March, 1848, and by Imperial Decrees of 25th July, 1854, and 31st December, 1866. RECOGNISED BY THE INTERNATIONAL CON-	tf 545 Hongkong, 10th April, 1874.	THIS DAY, the 23rd April, 1674, at Noon, at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Rond,— Hennessy's BRANDY of 1, 2, and 3 Stars.	Queen's Road, TO-MORROW, the 24th April, 1874, at Noon,— An Invoice of CROCKERY WARE, comprising PLATES, Meat DISHES, BASINS,	THE Sidewheel Steamer FEI WAN will commence THIS DAY, the 23rd inst., to run flaily as a FERRY BOAT between	PERFORMANOE EVERY NIGHT
	April 22, Chinkland, British steamer, 798, James Hogg, Shanghai 18th April, General.—Siemssen & Co.		L HONG AND CHINA BAKERY CO. Apply to the	Cases GIN.	Salad BOWLS, Baking DISHES, Tea CUPS	Tae-kok-tsui and Yow-mu-tee. She will start from the Company's Wharf at Hongkong at 6 A.M., and correspond with the	MORE NOVELTIES I MORE DARING

April 22, H.I.C.M. gun-boat Peng-chao-hol, RESERVE FUND......20,000,000 600, Palmer, from Canton April 21st. April 22, H.I.C.M. gun-boat An-Lan, 221, J. Godsil, from Canton 21st April. April 22, Gordon Castle, Brit. str., 1,284, AGENCIES. At Nautos, Lyons, Marseilles, Ritchie, London March 5th, and Singa-Roubaix, Brussels, Alexandria, Bombay, Oal pore 16th April, General.-John Burd

April 22, Russian steamer, 2,548, - Kazy, London 5th March, and Singapore 16th April, General.-WM. PUSTAU & HONGKONG AGENCY. April 22, BEHAR, British steamer, 1,190, Au-Interest Alloraed

draws, Yokohama 15th April, General:-P. & O. S. N. Co. Dopartures

Clearances. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE,

Nautilus, for Takao. Faugh Balangh, for Saigon.

April 22, THALES, str., for Singapore, Pe-

nang and Calcutta.

Passengers.

Per Chinking, str., from Shanghai. Mr. Wildgard, and 165 Chinese. Per Cassandra, str., from Shanghai:-Cant. and Mrs. Burrow. Per Russia, atr., from London, &c.:-Per Gordon Castle, str., from London, &c. Per Behar, str., from Yokohama: -- : Mr. and Mrs. Pyke, European servant, child and amab, Comdr. Leet, Messrs. Oliver, Knoblanck, and Roupell, and 8 Obinese.

Per Nautilus, for Tukao:-Per Faugh Balaugh, for Saigon :--20 Chinese. Per Thales, str., for Singapore, &c.:-242 Chinese.

Reports.

The Peruvian ship Oracle reports left Macao 21st April, and had light airs and foggy The German steamship Cassandra reports

The British steamship Gordon Castle reports eft London on 5th March, and Singapore on 16th April; bud fine weather till the morning. of the 22nd instant, when got thick fog to ar-

left Shanghai on 18th April, and had light

variable winds throughout, the latter part foggy

London on 5th March, and Singapore on 16th every description of Banking and Ecchange N, and long. 109 E., spoke a German bark, Drafts-granted on London, and the chief DOWNS attached, lately occupied by Messrs. Hed Boom EliTES, Green Itep Covered shewing signal Q.C.L.R., bound North. Out commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Sanders & Co. side the Ly-ee-moon Pass at 6 a.m., on the America, China and Japan. 22nd instant experienced a thick log, and had to lay-to for several bours.

The P. & O. steamship Behar reports left Yokohama on 15th April; had moderate N.E. monsoon and fine weather till the morning of the 22nd. Outside the Ly-re-moon Pass experienced a very thick fog, had to anchor at 5 in Hongkong and China, ceased on the 31st a.m., and after an hour got under weigh, and December last. had to anchor again till 12 noon. On the 21st, at 6 p.m., passed H.M.S. Iron Duke and Frolis.

The British steamship Chinkiang reports left Shanghai on 18th April; had the first part of passage moderate S.E. winds and cloudy weather, the latter part light airs and thick fogey weather. Passed an unknown steamer off Hisshan, at 1 a.m., on the 19th. The steamship Formusa off Tong-mi Point, at 9 s.m., on the 21st.. The steumship Massalia, bound to Yokohama, at 9.15 s.m., on the 21st, and the steamship Yangtese off the same place, at same time,

Vessels Expected at Hongkong. (Corrected to Date.)

Vessel's Name.	From:	Dates.
Sedan	Ham burg	Nov.
Dormant	.:London	Nov.
Antipodes	Cardiff	Nov.
Batavia	Hamburg	Dec.
_ Johanne		Dec.
Rata Carnia	London	Dec.
Lvdia	Newcastle	Dec. 2
Osuka	London	D ec. :
Batavia	Cuxbaven	Dec.
Batavia, Deogaum	Cardiff	Jan.
Dathering	Buenos Avre	es_Jun.
Avonmore	Cardiff	Jan.
Tanjere (8)	Southampto	nJan.
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Waltikka Frances	Liverpool	Feb.
Frances	Shiolde	Feb.
G. T. Pearson Hockung (8)	Cardiff	Feb.
- Hachmay (a)	Liverpool	Feb.
- Kalaja (a)		- 11 E D
Courrier	Swansea	Feb.
Courrier	Livernool	Feb.
Aracan Star of China Warrior (8)	Loudon	March
Rine of China	London.	March
Warring (a)	Liverpool	March
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Austion Sales To-day.

J. M. ABMSTRONG, At 12 noon, Sundry Goods, &c. SHARP & Co., At 230 P.M.,

Bank, Insurance, and other Shares. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., AL 4 P.M. A collection of Trees, &c.

OFFICE OF THE CHINA TRADERS INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS.

A DIVIDEND of 231 % on two thirds The Daily Press Office.

(2/3rds) of the profits of the Company for LUNDON AND PROVINCIAL MAINING the twelve months ended 31st October last, has this day been declared to ALL CONTRIBU-TORB of business during the year. Warrante can be had at the Office of the

Company on application.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agente. tf 528 Hongkong, 6th April, 1874.

NOTICE.

having been resigned by Messra. MACEWEN, current local rates of premia will be allowed FRICKEL & Co., has been placed in the hands upon insurances effected with this Company. of the Undersigned. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. tf 886 Hongkong, 11th March, 1874.

HEAD OFFICE.-14, Rue Bergère, Paris. LONDON AGENOY. -- 144, Leadenhall Street

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For 3 months 3% per annum. Acting Manager Offices in Hongkong: Bank Buildings, Queen's Road.

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Court of Directors :--Chairman-W. H. FORBES, Esq. Deputy Chairman-The Hon. R. Rowerr. Wm. Lemana, Eiq. Thos. Pyko, Esq. S. D. Sassoon, Esq. J. S. Cordes, Req. A. F. Heard, Esq. Chref Manager

Hongkong-James Greig, Esq., Shanghai-Ewen Cameron, Esq. London Bankers-London and County Bank.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of per cent. per annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits:-For 3 months' 2 per cent. per annum

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. JAMES GREIG, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1. Queen's Bond East,

Hongkong, 16th February, 1874. THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. ED. WARD WINSLOW STEVENS, in our firm, RUSSELL & Co. 3m 519 Hongkong, 4th April, 1874

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. Orro laid on: FRIEDRICH, in our firm, ceased on the 31st March, 1874. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. tf 504 Hongkong, 2nd April, 1874.

TAR. JAMES BRADLEE SMITH is sutho-IVI rized to sign our firm, per proguration, the occupation of Mesers. LAMMERT, ATKINSON in Hongkong and China, from this date. OLYPHANT & Co. tf 492 Hongkong, 1st April, 1874.

THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. ALEXANDER MCGLASHAN HEATON. our Firm, ceases this duy. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. 92d 488 Hongkong, Slat March, 1874.

HAVE Established myself at this Port as Merchant and Commission Agent. A. MACG. HEATON. tf 491 Hongliong, 31st March, 1874. ■ THE Interest and Responsibility of the late I WONG KOONG-TEEN, in our firm, ceased on the 16th February, 1874. WEE KO-PER and OW YANG MAR-YEE were

admitted Partners in our firm on the 17th February, 1874.. FOOK MOW LOONG HONG, 48, Bonham Strand West. 3m 362 Houghong, 9th March, 1874.

AR CARL HEERMANN bas this day been admitted a partner in our firm, GHAS. J. GAUPP & Co. 2m 384 Hongkong 1st March, 1874. NOTICE.

HE Interest and Responsibility of the late Mr. A. H. P. HASE, in our firm, censed on the 31st December, 1873. Mr. HERMANN STOLTERFORT has been ad. mitted a partner in our firm in Hongkong and Canton on the 1st January, 1874. HESSE & Co.

admitted as partners in our firms at Hongkong, China, and Japan. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE tf 295 Hongkong, 18th February, 1874.

IVHE TOURIST'S GULDE - P.&O. S. N. Co.'s Office, REDUCED PRIOR \$1. Containing the names of all the Articles of Trade, objects of Natural History, Furniture, do., do., with the Punti, and Mandarin Pronus-Also a few copies of the GRAMMAR of the Chinese Language, in two Parts. The Daily Press Office.

INSURANCE COMPANY. FIHE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine risko at onrrent rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. 47 471 Hongkong, Ist March 1874

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY THE Managership of the Hondrong and TAROM this date, until further notice, a dis-CHINA BAKERY COMPANY, LIMITED, I count of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., te 1192 Hongkong, 27th June, 1872.

tf 528 Hongkong, 6th April, 874

Possession on let May: THREE-STOREY Comfortable HOUSE A in a respectable locality. Hollywood Road, baving 9 Rooms, and a fine view of the Harbour. Rent moderate. Apply at No. 12, HOLLYWOOD ROAD. Hongkoug. 6th April, 1874. TO LET. HE HOUSE No. 13, situated in Shelley

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TO LET.

(From the 1st April next) rouses Nos. 29, 31; and 33, wyndram Street. Apply to J. A. DE CARVALHO. 1m 455 Hongkong, 24th March, 1874. TO LET, (With immediate possession.)

HE HOUSE No. 7, Gago Street. Gas and Water laid on. J. A. DE CARVALHO. tf 456 Hongkong, 24th March, 1874. THE HOUSE No. 1. Gage Street. Posses-

M. DE CARVALHO. tf 446 Hongkong, 23rd March, 1874. TO LET. With immediate possession,

No. 20. PRAYA OENTRAL THE OFFICE and DWELLING HOUSE, L with GODOWNS attached, formerly in the occupation of Messrs. PAUL EHLERS & Co. J. LEMBKE. Attorney for PAUL EHLBBS.

tf 568 Hougkong, 15th April, 1874.

With Immediate Possession. TITHE HOUSE No. 1, Caine Road, lately in the occupation of D. H. BAILEY, Esq. Gas and Water laid on. Apply to T. ALGAR, 9. Hollywood Road tf 348 Hongkong, 5th January, 1874.

TO LET.

TIME GODOWN No. 1 at Rice Mills, West Point. Apply to G. VON OVERBEOK. 8. Pedder's Hill. tf 116 Hongkong, 19th January, 1874. FOR SALE OR TO LET.

THE GODOWNS known as "FLETCHER'S Bumpings." situated on Queen's Boad East, Apply to TURNER & Co. tf 561 Bongkong 14th April, 1874.

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DWELLING HOUSES. Alexandra Terrnoe. No. 13, Gage Street. 8. Gough Street. 1, Wyndbam Street, (2 Floors.) · DWELLING HOUSES. With possession from 1st May. No. 20, Stanley Street, at present in the oc-

cupation of Dr. R. Young. No. 46, Peel Street, at present in the occupation of J. R. ANTON, Esq. Water and Gas For particulars, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. tf 563 Hongkong, 14th April, 1874.

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H. N. COOPER No. 10. Stanley Street; or MESSES. ROZARIO & Co. tf 546 Hougkong, 10th April, 1874.

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BEG to announce that they have just re- TABLES. PERFUMERY and TOILET REQUISITES. tf 976 Hongkong, 19th June, 1878. MR. J. O. H. IBURG. FRORMERLY Organist of St. Andrew's

Cathedral, and Director of Music in the German Club "Feutonia," at Singapore. LESSONS given in SINGING, PIANO. FORTE, ORGAN, VIOLIN, and on any other Piano-forte Tuning done on moderate terms. SHERRY, PORT, CLARET, SAUTERNE, For Eugeneents, &c., please address, care of HOCK, CHAMPAGNE, BRANDY, Messrs. Liant, Chawford & Co.; or Messrs. Kruse & Co.

> NOTICE P. & O. S. N. Co.

189 Houghong, 2nd February, 1874.

A. MoIVER. Superintendent.

Hongkong, 18th December, 1873. [2050 TOHN SKINKER, SAN FRANCISCO. OALIFORNIA.

Sole Agent on the Pacific Coast for Winchester Repeating Arms and Ammunition, Du Pont's Blasting and Sporting Powder. Lake Superior and Pagific Fuse Company's Safety [1y 721 May 8 DROWN, JONES & CO.

UNDERTAKERS, &c., OFFICE-No. 9, HOLLY WOOD ROAD Memorial Stones and Monuments erected. of 197 Hongkong, 21st January, 1878. NOW READY.

THE HOUSEHOLD COMPANION STUDENT'S FIRST ASSISTANT By Dr. DEVAN, with many Additions, Corre tions, and Dr. WILLIAMS Orthography. Apply at the Daily Press Office.

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An Invoice of CROUKERY WARE, comprising Tea SETS, Breakfast SETS, and Des-

An Invoice of Bohemian VASES.

TERMS OF SALE. - Cosh before delivery Merican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG. 609 Hongkong, 22nd April, 1874. THE OPEN STOCK EXCHANGE.

BANK BUILDINGS.

THE EIGHTEENTH SALE of BANK, LARGE AND VARIED ASSORTMEN MARINE, and FIRE INSURANCE DOCK, STEAM NAVIGATION, GAS HOTEL SUGAR, and other SHARES, will be beld THIS DAY, 23rd April, at 2:30 R.M. precisely. SHARP & Co.

593 Hongkong, 20th April, 1874. PUBLIC AUCTION SELECTED FRUIT TREES. CULINARY PLANTS.

BOOTS. TO BE FOLD BY TANE, ORAWFORD & Co at their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, THIS DAY. the 23rd April, 1874, at 4 o'clock P.M ,-A very Choice Selection of APPLE TREES. PEAR TREES,

CHERRY TREES. PLUM TREES, GOOSEBERRY BUSHES, NUT TREES. CURRANT BUSHES. Autumnal ROSES.

Standard ROSES Budded on Brier Stooks. Dwarf ROSES, Budded on Manetti Stocks. STRAWBERRIES, in choice varieties. ASPARAGUS. RHUBARB. HORSE RADISH: Catalogues will be issued.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hummer. 600 Hongkong, 21st April, 1874. PUBLIC AUCTION.

TAHE Undersigned has received instructions

I to sell by Public Auction, on the 25th April, 1874, at Noon, at his Sales DWELLING HOUSE, with GO- comprising Drawing Room, Dinnig Boom, and COUCHES CHAIRS, and Easy CHAIRS, Dining TABLE, SIDEBOARD, WHATNOTS, MIRRORS. ENGRAVINGS, DARPET, BEDSTEAD, WARDROBES, WASH-

STAND, Toilet TABLE and GLASS, GLASS WARE, PLATED WARE, CROCKERY, &c. Also, A PIANO, And a WASHING MACHINE. Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer 601 Hongkong, 21st April, 1874, POSTPONED TO MONDAY, APRIL 271

FURNITURE SALE. ELEGANT AND SUBSTANTIAL ENG-LISH MADE FURNITURE, ELECTRO-PLATE, GLASS, AND CROCKERY. WARE. &c., &c.

instructions to sell by Public Anction, on proviously announced, commencing at noon, at produces strong and succulent canes, rich in the 27th April, 1874, instead of at the time HEAD QUARTER HOUSE. H. W. WHITFEILD, &c., &c.,

(leaving Uhina.)-The whole of his HOUSEHOLD FURNI CHAIRS, COUCHES, Marble-top TABLES, powerful effect upon Indian Corn, and largely MIRRORS, PIOTURES, CURTAINS, CAR-PETS, MOROCOO Covered OHAIRS, COUCHES, SIDEBOARD, ELECTROsome CUT-GLASS TABLE WARE, Iron BEDSTEADS, WARDROBES, CHESTS of DRAWERS, Toilet and Cheval GLASSES, Marble-top WASHSTANDS and Dressing

An English-built WAGGONETTE, with of Tea plantations, we confidently recommend Shifting Cover, by Lauria & Marner, A Light English built T CART, by W. King to receive. Single and Double HARNESS, SAD A Pair Bay HORSES, quiet to ride or drive, both accustomed to carry a Ludy.

A few dozene Choice WINES, Pale Dry A small remaining portion of the VERY CHOICE COLLECTION of PEKIN POR.

OELAIN WARE, HANDSOMBLY PAINT ED. belonging to G. J. PERKIS, Esq., H. M. Assistant Controller, lately gone home. THE JAMES HENEY SCOTT and Mr. WILL COMMENCING with the muil of 8th Jan. Catalogues will be issued prior to the Sale, and Drought Harrison have been commended to the further notice, the and the Furniture will be on view on Harrison admitted as postness in an Canada and the Furniture will be on view on Harrison and interest in an Canada and the Furniture will be on view on Harrison. in connection with the Mail Steamers from this TREMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Port, will proceed to Southampton via the Suez Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer.

489 Hongkong 31st March, 1874 PUBLIC AUOTION COF . WINES, SPIRITS, LIQUEURS, &c. ANE, ORAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at

their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, on WEDNESDAY, the 29th April, 1874, at 2 colock P.M., To close Sundry Consignments, -72 Cases HOCK

96 BRANDY. OLABET. CHABLIS BURGUNDY. OHAMPAGNE. SHERRY. VERMOUTH. GINGER BRANDY.

Catalogues will be issued, and Samples wil be on view on the morning of Sale. TERMS OF SALE - Cash before delivery in Merican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7 All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' viel on the fall of the hammer. 610 Hongkong, 22nd April, 1874.

CHERRY CURDIAL.

dren's SOCKS Paper COLLARS, MIRRORS, BRACES. BELTS, HANDKEROHIEFS make intermediate trips. Door MATS, RUGS, ENGRAVINGS. FARES White and Black PAINT.

NAILS, from 1 inch to 31 inches. 11 Bales Californian HAY, about 2.850 lbs 10 cents, upper deck. And. 1 House GIG. TERMS OF SALE-Uash before delivery Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots with all faults and errors of description, at pur chasers rick on the fall of the hammer. 617 Hongkong, 23rd April, 1874.

NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS Invite Inspection of their

OF NEW GOODS. Ex English Ma I S. S. " Zamben." TASSORE and PIQUE COSTUMES. VENTILATED STRIPED MUSLINS. The KAME KAME LA! Dress Material. Gulaton STRIPED COSTUME CLOTH. SATIN STRIPED GRENADINES. BATISTES, LAWNS, and PERCALES. New Styles in PRINTS and PRINTED CAMBRICS.

PLAIN COLOURED ORGANDI MUS-A New and Choice SELECTION of MIL-LINERY, received by each Overland Mail. JET BROOCHES, EARRINGS, OROSSES, NECKLACES, and HAIR PINS. -New PLAITS, ROLLS, OHIGNONS, and HAIR of all descriptions. CORSETS, DRESS IMPROVERS, and UNDEROLOTHING. VELVET SMOKING CAPS, WOOL WORK in Slipper and Cushion Patterns. TURQUOISE RUFFLES, MUSLIN EM-BROIDERY.

Gentlemen's FELT and PITH HATS. COTTON, THREAD, and SILK SOCKS. China and India UNDER-VESTS, in Gauze, Merino, and Silk. The Wilton SUARF and Club House TIB. Parisian BOWS and COLLARS. Military, Regatts, and Oxford SHIRTS. LACE and MUSLIN OURTAINS. Table LINENS and SHEETINGS.

33, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG. 457 Hongkong, 24th March, 1874. NOTICE. CHINA TRANS PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

TATE have authorised Mr. E. O. RAY to eign Bills of Lading for us, as Agents of the 1m 515 . Hongkorg, Sid April, 1874.

COMPANY, LIMITED.

DISSOLVED PERUVIAN GUANO, OHLENDORFF & CO. Hearth RUGS, GASALIER, LAMPS, Iron LONDON, ANTWERP, HAMBURG, AND EMMERICH-ON-BHINE GUARANTEED TO CONTAIN Nitrogen equal to 10-per cent. of Non-Volatile Ammonia Soluble | Guano Phos-Insoluble | phase.

THIS Manure is prepared from genuine Peru-TERMS OF SALE. - Cash before delivery in | __ vian Government Guano. The result of its special treatment is that the Ammonia is fixed; the Phosphates in the Raw Guano rendered soluble, and the Manure brought into the condition of a free dry powder. It loses nothing from exposure to the atmosphere, or to the heat of the sun. It is offered to the farmer with a Guarantee of its composi-

tion, and is, in fact, the richest and, considering IVI the quality, the cheapest Guaranteed Manure at present in the market. Its fertilining properties are such as will enable the consumer to derive the greatest economical advantage from the use of Guano. ANE. ORAWFORD & Co. have received APPLICATION OF DISCOLVED PERU.

VIAN QUANO TO COLONIAL PRODUCE. SUGAR CANE.—Dissolved Peruvian Guano crystallizable angar, without detriment to the the Residence of His Excellency Major General, productive power of the land. From 3 to 4 a good dressing for Sagar Cape. INDIAN CORN.-Three to 4 owts. of Dis-

solved Pernylan Guino per acre exercises RICE.-We should strongly recommend the use of 2 to 3 owts. per sore for Rice, for, al-PLATED WARE CROOKERY, and Hand- though irrigation is generally solely relied upon as a means of producing a good crop of Rice, there can be no doubt that, in addition to, to his advantage. irrigation, 2 or 8 cwts. of Dissolved Peruvian Guano per acre will be highly beneficial. TEA .- Judging from the limited experience at one command with regard to the manuring

> it to planters, whose reports we shall be glad COTTON.—The yield of Cotton has of late Family and General Hotel, known as the years been greatly increased by the use of arti- "HOTEL D'EUROPE," comprising the ficial manures, containing a lair proportion of Houses Nos. 2, 4, 6, and 8, Hollywood Road. ammonia and much soluble phosphate of lime, potasb, and other alkaline salts. Dissolved doing fair business. Peruvinu Gauno meets the requirements of the For particulars, apply to Mr. E. ESTARICO, Cotton plant, indemuch us it furnished all the the Oloner, on the premises; or in MESSES. clements of fervility which are calculated to CALDWELL & BRERETON, Solicitors, 29, promote the loxuriant growth of the same. If Queen's Road. the increase in quantity be made the chief object, A to 5 cwts of Dissolved Peruvian Guano per G O R O G E R S D.D.S acre will prove most advantageous; but if G (Successor to Dr. V. D. Collins.) greater oure be given to the fine quality of the Cotton, the use of 2 to 3 cwts. of Dissolved Pernyian Guano, together with 2 to 3 cwts. of mineral superphosphate, per sore, will be found

OHLENDORFE & CO. OFFICES 110, FENCHUROH STREET, LONDON, E.C. WORKS-AT PLAISTUW (NEAR VIOTO-RIA DOCK, LONDON, E.C. N.B .- In applying Dissolved Guano, and, Indeed, all concentrated Artificial Manures, it is the Godowns of Messre. Edward Nonton & desirable to mix them with about twice their bulk of dry earth, sifted vagetable ashes, or similar substances, so as to secure an even distribution of the manure, and to prevent its coming into direct contact will the scades IT SHOULD ALWAYS BE KEPT DBY TO AVOID

to answer better.

For further particulars, apply to MEYER, ALABOR & Co., 14 511 Hongkong, April 2nd, 1874. TEAMERS leaving this port requiring

COAL, can obtain it from the Under-

W. G. HALE & Co.,

et 1581 16th Sentember, 1878. THE Undersigned have been appointed Bole L Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and China by Messra. J., & R. Tenacut, Glasgow, and Messre, David Corear & Sons ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co.

if 419 Hougkong, January, 1867.

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615 Hongkong, 23rd April, 1874.

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On the 14th instant, at Yokobama, RICRARD BECKWITH BAKER, Esq., manager of The

In commenting of late from time to time upon the disastrous losses of steamers upon the China and Japan coasts, we have abupon one point of importance which is suggested by them. The painfulness of the position in which the master is placed by such disasters, the indefiniteness of the best information available, and at times, as in the last and and memorable loss which it has been the duty of the China Press to record, the loss of the lives of those immediately congerned in the management of the vessel, form reasons for hesitating to press adverse points with unmitigated severity, such as it is impossible to overlook when writing on an individual case. There is, however, one matter which has been made apparent by all the wrecks of steamers which have taken place, to which it is of great public importance that the fullest attention should be called, and which may with propriety be treated upon its own merits, and that is the bearing on the management of steamers of the dangerous and deceptive currents which exist on the China and Japan consts. In almost every instance when a severe

disaster occurs through a vessel unexpectedly

running upon the land, we'are told that a miscalculation was made, and that the vessel had been drifted out of her course by an unknown current. This fact is usually urged as one of an extenuating character, and ne doubt it may be justly regarded as such in cases where there is no reason to anticipate a. danger of the kind. In the instance of captains new to these parts or uninformed through some unavoidable circumstances of the dangerous nature of such currents, it is only right to recognise that they are unavoidably deceived, and that the greatest care on their part may not be sufficient to enable them to steer clear of a danger of this character. But the case is altogether different with those who have had sufficient experience to make them conversant with the Consular Assessor stating that it was contrary actual facts. To those who are thus experienced, it must be perfectly well-known that deceptive currents do exist, and, indeed, tain is that it is impossible to rely upon Major General Whitfelld, Lieutenant-Governor bonne, would have been the actual tenant was away. The brother of defendant said ly after 11, renobed the Uemetery gates about early as possible, and follow the line of the panted footsore and sun-accrebed in their forced making a course with anything like depend. of this Colony, by the community, it was of the whole, and lost that character by the tonk lid and bolts were the property of his 12. The funeral car was followed by five mountains in opposition to the attempts made march from Bonares under the burning and able accuracy in these parts. We are repeatedly informed that an unexpected curout of her course, but the question arises unexpected. Once or twice this might be pleaded, but it is idle to bring forward the Co.'s. The list will close at noon to morrow. same excuse over and over again. It is now established beyond any question that and this undoubted fact ought to be taken ing the land. So soon as a difficulty in and we stole a dozen of my own apples cases of obscurity, the vessel should be put out -Oh, then, mine was English for Darned Holmes) appeared for Darned Holmes are supported by Messel should be put out the steamer landed high and dry on a steament landed to the open; in cases of a question as to posi- corry can't come.

tion, not only should the most vigilant look out be kept, but the lead should be repeatedly. and carefully cast; and above all, in all cases of doubt the golden rule to slow down the speed should never be departed from. This last precaution is at once the most important and the most distasteful. To the master of u steamer who from lengthened experience, knows every head land and mark on the coast, it is very unsatisfactory to slow down on appreaching the shore; but it is obvious that the man possessing the most intimate knowledge of these facts is no better off than one in complete ignorance of them, the moment anything arises to make it in the least doubtful whatcourse he is going. He knows the position he starts from, the position of the land and the course he is steering, but the effect of s

current may make the direction he is actual ly going totally different, and his best calculations utterly worthless. This being now fully known, it is beyond any question im prudent on the part of a master to hug the coast except when he can actually see the course he is taking. If he cannot do this and it is impossible to get cut into open sea. ho is clearly called upon to proceed only with the utmost caution, and especially at greatly reduced speed. Even with all this care, accidents may at times arise; but the great part thereof in oase the same shall not be consideration is that even if they do occur under such circumstances, they will not be in Ordinance 14 of 1844; and having been of so disastrous a character, as if the vessel unuble to recover the fine from the actual ofhas heavy weigh upon her. In many instances under the most unfavourable circumstances accidents may be reduced to small importance by slowing and using the lead; a vessel to stand by when within any such distance of the shore as makes it at all possible that in consequence of the currents she

may strike upon it. likely to be acceptable in these days of close competition and fast steaming; but it is nevertheless time that they were taken to having seized them under a distress warrant heart and acted upon. There is nothing against fast steaming on the open sea when it is beyond possibility to strike upon any- inoperative, and they could get nothing from thing. When such is the case the full powers him. There-were no rents due to him under of the vessel may be justifiably exerted, and it is to the interest of commerce that she came the question, and it really was whether should speed upon her voyage. But fast HALL& HOLIZ and KELLY steaming near dangerous; coasts, and amidst handlord, and who had sublet portions of the treacherous currents can be looked upon in no and the dangerousness of these coasts is now so well ascertained that there can be no ex- bouseholder shall mean the actual tenant or cuse for incurring such risks. Even if the coasts were thoroughly surveyed, it would be scarcely prudent to run too near the shore in view of the currents; but as it is well-known that existing surveys are defective in many

be made for Captains of vessels newly arriv- sense in which the Ordinance must have ing, who are not aware of the deceptiveness of the currents, being misled, and it would be well that some steps were taken to warn Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London, them of the danger. The simplest plan be left without a remedy against anybody, would, of course, be to make some note in the Ordinance 7 of 1866 might mean the actual new charts, which will be prepared after the tenant as being the man who rented the house surveys which are shortly to be undertaken by the Admiralty, but as some time must not the actual tenant or occupant under the elapse before they are finished, it might be well if notices were issued to Mariners that time to the Registrar-General of any change

haces rapid; unit that tare must be according ly taken. The number of what may be termed upon some responsible individual, although "outside" home steamers coming to China there was no blame whatever attributed to deis now constantly on the increase in consequence of the opening of the Suez Canal, the fines, that they had not been paid, that Leestained for various reasons, from laying stress and it would be only a matter of ordinary you rented the whole house from the defendant, prudence to give warning of the fact to those masters, who cannot otherwise become acquainted with it.

H. I. C. M. gunbouts An-lan and Pen-chao-hoi

arrived yesterday from Canton, and left again for the West const.

The Peruvian ship Oracle, which bis been lving in Macro for some time, was towed over by the steam-tug Fame vesterday.

The performance at Chiarini's Circus on Tuesday, was well attended, and some new and diverting pieces were introduced. The comiscene with which the performance concluded was extremely amusing, and kept the whole adience in roars of laughter throughout.

It is to be liced that the sentence which was passed yesterday upon the inmate of one of the houses in Wyndham Street, which are frequently a grave nuisance to the neighbourhood, will have the effect of checking the annoyance to some extent, and will call forth increased vigi-

We observe that the man on whom, a munderous assault was made at the Peak on Good expressed in order to make it law. In Ordinance Friday, by several men now in custody, was discharged from the Civil Hospital yesterday. The Superintendent of the Hospital etates that the man's brain is permanently injured, and any blow be may hereafter receive may cause his that was, the immediate tenant of the whole death. He has, however, recovered as far as house, unless in a case where the owner of the possible. As the case was remanded till to house did not deal with such an intervening morrow, Mr. Mitchell sent the patient back to person, but let it out to tenants himself. The despital till that day.

smoking in the Police Court, on the basis of sive rent for a house of that size. And then the information from the Interpreter, that he again Ordinaces 7 of 1866, was a penal Ordit. & Co's, with the unlawful possession of an iron seems to be a mystery to all except those would not be allowed to emoke in a Chinese nance, therefore, it would be construed strict; tank cover. Court, although the man himself said he would ly in the court and as it stood. He subthe Interpreter wrong as at the Mixed Court in Shanghai, the Mandarin always smokes bimwelf while hearing the cases, and when the Court first held its sittings, the nutive andience used to smoke too, and it was only upon the to loreign custom that the practice was put

ments of esteem entertained towards H.E. who, if he had not sublet portions of the White Nile, with orders to leave it as stresk of sund across which Niel's Lambe"

Washington Irving once, when picking up an i meant any more than tenant or occupant. His Worship said defendant had not proved polished oak, bore the sample meant any more than tenant or occupant. His Worship and defendant had not proved polished oak, bore the sample meant any more than tenant or occupant. His worship said defendant had not proved polished oak, bore the sample meant any more than tenant or occupant. His worship said defendant had not proved polished oak, bore the sample meant any more than tenant or occupant. apple under a tree in his own grobard, was The view he took of the section was that himself trust worthy in his waste a great arms and the decreity is said already to accounted by an archin of the neighbourhood, the interpretation meant that the householder if he would lake such things, templation would lake such the defendants are all of the highest have been experienced. fine reckonings as to position or course when who, not recognizing him as the proprietor, should be taken to be the person who had given lead him to steal greater onca. in proximity to the China or Japan coasts, coffered to show him the tree where he could to the offendors the opportunity of committing Defendant was sent to 12 days' hard labour. net some better upples than those. But, the offence, and that was letting the room. Of said the boy. "we must take oure the old man course if this was so, Lee yow was the person into the fullest consideration when approach loss of least to men approach loss of least of the whole Anthony & Co., charged his deak. Fook a kee, At James Town, Boone country, two men hobilty in the country. and we stole a dozen of my own applea of the house to the defendant, and therefore, with neglecting his was recently feeling his paign. The change was startling. The whole A Young Transationtic lady recently issued in his (His Honour's) view of the case, was last without leave, quasing him to have to get about a lady whose hand they both sought in way along in the dark when the look out about a lady whose hand they both sought in way along in the dark when the look out about a lady whose hand they both sought in way along in the dark when the look out about terrain was mapped off into little fields, each ascertaining with absolute precision the post- invitations for a party, and as used the address of the unother cook to cook like dimer, with being in the whole of the unother cook to cook like dimer, with being in the whole of the unother cook to cook like dimer, with being in the unother cook to cook like dimer. tion and course of a vessel arises, it is clearly thereon the invariable R.S. V.P. One young building in question. It was therefore name solent to his wife, and with refusing to cook his is an appeal to arms. They accordingly were a close share and with refusing to cook his is an appeal to arms. They accordingly were a close share in the purpose of ortoning and holding the water only common prudence to take the utmost man did not come, but sent his card with revolvers in their schooler the cardwish and holding the water on the cardwish is the purpose of ortoning and holding the water of the continue of the purpose of the party fields; the control yellow precaution against any possible danger that is the street shortly lord. That being so like the street shortly lord. The stree afterwards, the young lady asked him what the the summions with ocets. may afise. Such precautions are obvious, but mysterious four letters meant.—What did new letters meant and missing skipper, who was a Franchisch and missing may arise. Such precautions are obvious, but mysterious four letters meant. "What did

SUPREME COURT 22nd April. IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

BEFOLE THE HON. Ma. JUSTICE BEAMSTON. OHO A POOK w. Tima A Bot. \$117.00. Mr. Mr. Robinson, a broker, to Mr. Boyd. The Queen's Road West, for a similar offence. Holines appeared for plaintiff. This case was adjourned from the previous day. The claim was in respect of some chairs made to the defundent's order, some of which he refused to take on the ground that the charge was

THE ACTING ATTORNEY GENERAL v. KWOR-A. OHEORG: \$600. - Mr. Havllar was instructed by the Ocown Solicitor, and Mr. Kingsmill

Mr. Hayllar said he appeared for the Crown in this case, and the action was brought under Ordinance 7 of 1866. It was to recover fines amounting to \$600, which had been imposed at the Police Court on fourteen men forgambling. in contravention of the 1st and 2nd section of Ordinance 14 of 1844. Four of the men were fined 850 each, and two of them \$100 each. The important part of the case was the meaning of certain sections of Ordinance 7 of 1866. to which he should call His Honour's special attention. The first section said that whenever s fine should be imposed upon any person resident in any house, and not being a house. holder within the meaning of the Ordinance, or ny violation of the provisions of the follow. ing Ordinances 14 of 1844, 12 of 1857. and 7 of 1858, every such fine or any recovered from the actual offender, shall be recovered from the housebolder by an action at law. The Crown found they had the remedy

lenders, they had the remedy against the householder by action at law in that Court. or n the Magistrate's Court, or they could take the rents payable to such householder or any mortages in possession, that was, of course if transaction on the ground that the first three of a Chinese Mandarin he would not prostrate they got judgment. In this case there was a man named Lee-yow who was registered as the ionscholder of the property, and they found he had let the first floor to Shi-yan, a coolie. and sixteen others, and the second floor to Chun-ti. The Crown had proceeded against Lee-yow, (the man who was registered) under Lessons of prudence of this kind are not section 17, against his goods, and issued a distress warrant. The result was that they found he had no goods, his superior landlord of the house, who was the defendant in this case. As to Lee-yow himself, he could not be found Therefore, it was perfectly clear that as regard ed Lee-yow the remedy of the Crown was wholly section 19, and, therefore, they had nothing against him on that score. Now then there under those circumstances the householder. house, was the householder under 7 of 1866. other light than that of simple recklessness; and for the interpretation clause. The second paragraph of that said that the torm occupant of the whole of any building or have the benefit of the transaction and was to terement, or in case there shall be no such person, then the immediate landlord of the whole of such building, and this shall not extend to other than Chinese. The whole

question then was whether defendant was within the meaning of the Ordinance the actual instances, such imprudence is doubly mani-lieuant of the building. To a certain sense, it was clear that Lee-yow was the autual touant of the whole of the house from the defend-There is, as already admitted, an excuse to ant, but, in the other sense, and in the been meant, he was not the actual tenant of the whole house: it meant that the Crown must come down on some responsible person If it was not so, it was clear that the Ordinance was imperfectly framed, and the Crown would from the superior landlord, or it might mean

that if that man under-let the house he was section: Section 8 required that every householder should make a report within a certain was to allow the Government to lay its hands

Mr. Kingsmill admitted the correctness of that a distress warrant had been issued against Lee vow, and that he had under let the house. Mr. Hayllar then called Lum a-shing, at present a prisoner in Vic-

toria gaol, who said be used to reside in Gap-The meeting of the Legislative Council is of "Life" Tree in the landlord was known by the name "Lee." He (witness) had been fined for gambling on the second floor. Lee yow lived there and occupied part of the house as a car-

his learned friend had not presend the Ordi-Dance very hard upon the court to induce his Honour to arrive at the conclusion that defendant should be called upon to pay the fines for these men. The matter all turned upon what was the meaning of the word "householder" in Ordinance 7, of 1866. The whole question centred round that. If a landlord were to break up his house into portions, and let it to different individuals, he became a house. holder within the terms of the Ordinance. His learned friend had said that the intention of the Ordinance was that there should be some responsible person to whom the Crown should look in order to protect the colony against the system of gambling, and it was because they were not able to reach every orannic and crevice that they threw the responsibility upon the native community in that way by ance on the subject on the part of the Police making it the business of responsible per-

sons to see that their property was not used in an improper way. Supposing that was the intention of the Ordinance, it must be clearly 12 of 1857, it was clear enough what the legislatin meant, and under it they could go till they came even to the ground lessee. But Ordinance 7 of 1866 stopped short at householder. learned counsel could prove that Lee-yow had been a tenant there for eight years, at a rent of A Chinaman was yesterday fined \$1 for \$20 a month, which was by no means an excesmitted that if it was proved that there was the 2lst, he saw the defendant give the cover a person in possession at the time the men to a hawker of cakes in Pai-ping-shan. He went

resnous ble, but the householder. for His Honour's opinion as to what the parti- into custody.

decided that as the state of his health will pro- having sablet as portion of the bouse. It ap- muster, and defendant had no right to take mourning coaches, confined their operations. That smooth broad river is the stream swum. hably prevent him from being present at a peared to him (His Honour) that he had not them away. public dinner, it will be better to frame a public done so, and that he was the actual tenant of low-a-fai, head servant to Mr. Pyke, said Brooks being in the first coach. Among the rent has drifted a vessel ten or fifteen miles iddress to be handed to His Excellency before the building. The intention of the property of his master, other monruers and spectators were Mr. W. H. his departure, and the same is now being pre- referred to was to catch a responsible person, and defendant had no right to remove it. But Bradbury, Mr. Ohneles Dickens, Mr. F. Evens, pured and will be ready for eignature to-day. If that was so, ned Lee yow had turned out to it was of no value, and the taking of it away Mr. Joseph Hatton, and neveral members of United Kingdom last year was altogether on whether such a current ought to have been Gentlemen wishing to sign the address, will be a man of straw, the Crown would have been consequently was no harm. find the copies at the Hongkong Club; the Club entitled to go on to his superior landlord. Ho Defendant said by did not give it to the Punch. The service in the chapel and at the \$18,205,618. Germania, and at Messre Lane, Crawford & thought that are no force in hawker of cakes. As the cover was of no use, grave was of Fifty ladies have been summoned before the was bothe in through it on a litter. that Court. He did not think that the words not fitting anything we was going to give it to St. Saviour's, Horton, and there were very Tribunal of Munster, in Westphalia, for baving We wake up next morning within the oon-"Actual tenant or occupant" in the Ordinance a friend.

which be sold to the defendant, and he sought and those coming in. was implied in every contract of sale. In this away from the colony, and was fined \$5. question had arisen from a practice prevalent Complainant said the first defendant had here us elsewhere in which there were large had two warnings, and the second defendant share transactions which might lead to mis had had one warning, but neither had taken chief and often did so, namely, that the trans. any notice: The first defendant had been in the for deed was signed by the plaintiff blank, that bouse five months, and the second 30 days. to be the law on the matter, and it was simple; second defendant was fined \$5, moment, but that was only in force when there

ut it seemed to him invalid, and it was that at the time the shares were sold there round notices to the pawnbrokers at once, but was only one call paid up. Now in Article nothing had been heard of it. The nomplain-26 of the Articles of Association, it was ant lost a gold watch and chain some time provided "that the shares of the company before. aball not be transferable until, the first three Complainant said there was no more suspicion calls have been paid up or unticipated in the reating on the defendant than on others in the provision bereinefter contained, and the com- quarters. shares whilst the shareholder is so indebt- defendent admitted to buil. ed to the company." Now it was admitted only one call had been paid up at the time that the sale was made. But fined & for making a very great disturbance at Shetland) deprecated the premature discussion station, and had leisure to notice its beautiesand later on in the Articles (section 40) it to some coolies and to one of the Scotch Policewas stated that the directors may, if they think fit, receive from any person willing to advance it, any part of the monics due upon the chares held by him beyond the same actually called for, &c. Therefore, it was perfectly clear that, when the defendant bought these shares he ought to have done one of two things. He ought either at once to have repudiated the calls had not been paid up, of he ought to have himself. paid them up and made the transfer good. The plaintiff, therefore, was left through defendant's act, as the registered proprietor of the shares, and in law and equity the possesson of them, but was absolutely deprived of any right to them. It was older under those oir comstances that if the shares had gone up

plaintiff would have been deprived of all right to them. He had parted with them and youd that was left as the registered proprietor | defendants of course denied the charge, against of thom, and liable for the calls, which he had three witnesses, and were sent to 21 days hard since paid. They had not one else to look to labour. except Mr. Boyd, whose name had been given to them by the broker. Under these-circumstunges the learned coursel thought there could be no doubt of the law on the mutter. The last case on the subject seemed to him conclusive It was that of Culloch v. Enthoven, reported in last November number of the Queen's Bench law reports, page 458, and it had been confirmed by the Exolequer Chamber. The learned conusel quoted from it, and said it was as similar to the one now before the Court as coul be. He also quoted from the last edition of Lindley, (1st vol. pp. 726). The learned counse then urged that the moment the shares had bear the responsibility of it. Mr. Boyd bad

bought these chares, and he must stand by Mr. John Rubinson, who said: I am share broker. On the 28th July, 1870, brought from Mr. Hodgson, who sold on account of Mr. Brown, eight shares in the Inde-Chinese Sugar Company for Mr. Boyd. I got from Mr. Hodgson a transfer deed in blank signed by Mr. Brown. I got the money from M Boyd, and I gave him the transfer deed. Only one call had been paid then. I subsequently sold these shares for Mr. Boyd to Mr. Gibson I gave the name of Mr. Boyd, as purchaser, to Mr. Brown some months afterwards on an plication. Mr. Hodgson has left the Colony Mr. A. N. Blakeman, said: I am secretary to the Indo Obinese Sugar Co. Limited, an have been so from its commencement. Some was issued as soon as the first call was paid on 30th April 1870. I know the plaintiff is registered as holding 8 shares, and he has paid them al

By Mr. Brereton: It is onetomary to give twanty-one days notice of the call cost one Historic reinsed to pay ; and the company aned and recovered Mr. Brereton took a preliminary objection that the identity of the eight shares sold to Mr. Boyd bad not been proved, and

asked for a non-suit. His Honour over-ruled the objection. Mr. Brereton then submitted that neither at law nor at equity was defendant liable to that demand. Mr. Hayllar with a great deal of ingenuity had given bis own colouring to the transaction. These shares were not transferable until the third call had been paid, and But serip was the right to take shares in company to be formed hereafter, and give th holder the right to so many shares when it was formed. The shares of this company ut the Mr. Kingsmill, on bohalf of defendant, said time were similar. They were simply the right to shares which at a subsequent date might be transferred, but which he they stood were simply of the nature of scrip. He contended that the transaction was merely the sale of those shares without any other obligation attached to it. Mr. Boyd had simply bought the shares in the way of business o sell again, and that was entirely inconsistent with the contract of indemnity. - it was simply a contract of sale and nothing more. After addressing the court at some length, Mr. Brereton quoted a judgment of Buron Park's in aupport of his argument, and, alleging that no

original contract had been proved, concluded by asking His Honour to dismiss the summons. He called ... Mr. Boyd who said . I purchased 8 shares on the 21st July, 1870. I never got any notice from Mr. Brown or anyone of calls being due on these shares. I sold them on the same day to Mr. Gibson, and handed him the blank trubefer and scrip. Mr. Hayllar then replied, and in doing s aid that the case quoted by Mr. Brereton ha

His Honour said he would defer indomen till Tueaday next, at ten o'clock. PULLUE INTELLIGENCE 22nd April.

BEFORE F. W. MITCHELL, Esq.

een overruled again and again.

named Hosewan, watchman at Mesers, Birley

were convicted, it was to him that the Crown to the hawker, and asked him what be was could go and seek for the penalty and no fur- going to do with it, and he said it was given ther. The ordinance did not make the landlord him to sell for the delendant. He then went to the defendant, and asked him where he got it Mr. Hayllar, in reply, said they merely wished As he could not unewer properly be took him color chause in the Ordinance really means. Inspector Grey said the defendant was watch. his grave is at the companied by two young Englishmen pilgrim-fair by the sacred waters, and the His Honour said he did not bunk it neces. Birley & Coas promises, and not Messre. Bussell and Anson. The Italian grey outlines of the fort where Akbar beld his At a meeting yest reday to consider, what sary to reserve judgment. The only quest defendant's brother was head buy to Mr. Pyko, far from the graves of Leech and Thackersy. Geographical Society is preparing an exploring stronghold in the days when Queen Bess ruled mark of respect would best express the sentition in the case was whether Lee-yow. He had made enquiry, and found the premises The fundament of take advantage of the opening over England. The moonlight falls on the

INSOLENT SERVANT. Mr. Thomas Anthony, of Mesers: Broadbear, tears were shed behind it.

\$8.50 half a month's pay,

breach of Section VIII. Ordinance 7 of 1866, in Imore and killed him.

Mr. Hayllar suld the claim was for \$800, being that he neglected to raport the change of the amount paid by the plaintiff on shares tenancy in his bouse, both of those going out to recover on the contract of indemnity which Defondant made the lame excuse that he was case he did not think it would be disputed that L Mr. Osmond also summoned the masters of the shares were sold by Mr. Brown, through houses No. 2 . Praye West, and No. 22s.

was to say, that the mane of the transfered was. They should have reported within 15 days. not inserted. He would mention what appeared The first defendant was fined \$15, and the He did not dispute the deck of transfer for a SUSPICION OF STEALING A WATCH AND CHAIN Ho-a-wing, a dandily dressed Obinese servant was no sale. It was well known that the sale who stated his master was noting chief In-(instructed by Mr. Holmes) appeared for the of shares was not the sale of goods within the spector of Police, charged a barber on suspicion meaning of the elatutory clause. Therefore of stealing his watch and chain on the 21st. they did not rely in the slightest upon the deed whilst he was away waiting on his master. as a transfer of sale, but they relied upon the Complainant said he was not sure the defendsale through the broker. Then the contract and took it, but as he was on the premises he of sale implied the contract of indefinity, was arrested by the Inspector, as the most There was one point which might be raised, likely person who took the watch and chain. Inspector Horspool said Inspector Grev sent

> the conduct of Lord Northbrook. puny may decline to register any transfer of The case was then remanded till Friday, and

A woman residing in Wyndham-street, was call inight have been enticipated night, and using very low and abusive language men who ordered her to desist.

Mr. Sanders, the chief usber of the Police Court, charged a Chineae with smoking in court Defendant said he did not know whether it was prohibited. . Mr. Mitchell asked him if he would do it in a Chinese Court, and whether i > the pressuce

Defendant said he would smoke in a Chinese Court, and would be allowed to do so. The interpreter of the Court said he would not be allowed, and he was then fined \$1.

STREET GAMBLING. Two Chinese were successfully apprehended by P. C. Kerr, and a Chinese lukong in the notorious baunt Cleverley-street, and charred with managing for others gambling. The

JAPAN.

(Japan Mail 11th April on board at the time of the disaster, enables us give some additional particulars, if not in remight be wished ashore. The total number penditure. been found on different parts of the coast, they | menta. have been carried, some a distance of twenty-live European manner at a neighbouring temple, number of men by 10,000, was rejected.

surmounted by grosses on which have been Beagal and Behar Provinces. where it was found, and such other remarks as to the orders of the Rorte, but at the same with water gurgling down its rugged bed, and might lend to identification of the individual by time holds it responsible for the loss from the the thick foliage rounding off the angles of its any one acquainted with him. Mr. Pearson speaks in the highest terms of monthly. the fidelity with which Mr. Maida, an officer of

the Ashigorn ken, bus discharged the duty on | Goregnorship of Cape Coust. which he was despatched to Irums, and of the howed to Mr. Pearson and his travelling companion, Capt. Walsh R.M. This excellent trait Ashantes wer, was favoured with brilliant wegdocument or every wreak which also been brought Wolseley, and Lord Gifford received the Vic. to the point where we began to reverse. We to our notice on these coasts. Where there toris Oross. bave been suivivors they bave always been treated with the greatest humanity, sympathy ed. and kindness; and where the lifeless bodies have alone represented the calamity, respect for the dead has been an observable as generoerty, in the other case, towards the living. On Wednesday morning last Mr. Hannen, Icod, and Major Home received the K.O.B., the | party in the sunshine, and of sundry burgalows late Assistant-Acting Judge, took leave of the other principal officers are made C.B's, Sir of resplendent exterior. three years, and Mr. Goodwin, Assistant Judge of the Supreme Court of China and Japan,"

It is fortunately no praise to say of an English Judge that he is impartial, conscientions promotions have been Gasetted . Lord Napier and paiustaking. Our system has conduced towards the rearing of such men and to their be Colonels Commandant, promotion to the Bench, nor should we rest W. L. Morrison, Daniel George Robinson, rooms at convenient distances, where hot meals satisfied with anything less than this. But O. W. Hutchinson, Alexander Fraser, and John await the bungry traveller. At Nandgann Mr. Hannen will be remembered bere with William Playfair to be Colonels. respect and esteem. The amount of judi- J. Macleod, James George Tombyns, Chesnot been large, though bis advice and Edward Worland, George Ayrton, Craster, assistance have been sought under a variety Edward Burnes Holland to be Lieutenant: of circumstances which have not come Colonels. under the public eye, and thus the law reports Harry Lambert, John Magee, Macneill, O. which are daily published afford no full indica. Scott, Monorieff, A. Lemesurier, William and tion of the actual work Mr. Hannen has had Merriman to be Majors. to do. The Bar and the Public have recognised in him a good lawyer, as far as is compatible Clayton, Scuddamore, Besuchamp, William behind bim on his departure for Hongkong will Leycester, and Maraball to be Captains.

are hearly complete, and we must wish it Torner, Edward William Durnford to be Liensuccess, in spite of our misgivings as to the results of the move. We fear complications with China, and this would be as bad a thingwithin the range of probabilities as could Madayan to be Major Generals. befull the country just now. Of the United States Naval Officer, Lieut,

Casaell, who bas been appointed to a post of responsibility in connection with the expedition, I tary Secretary to the Dake of Cambridge, vice we hear the best opinions expressed, and none The New York is actively engaged in taking

in supplies for the Formosan expedition Japanese chow-chow of every sort, bottled ule, fron buts, and munitions of war of all descriptions, including a number of shells. Amongst her cargo is a quantity of firewood, in the ordinary small bundles; in all, some two or of his expedition. He proposes to take with abashed, plunging abruptly in the luncheon. three bundred tons. What it is intended for bim no more than an escort of 250 soldiers, as room, where they blunted in victuals and drink ordering its shipment.

then wheel and fire. The men turned simul- the dark without a light?" To bis dismay the tale evidence how scanty bad been the rice

innu wreaths by friendly bands.

LATE TELEGRAMS. By the steamer Russia, Captain Kazy, we are in receipt of the Straits Times of the 16th instant, containing the following telegrams, which have not yet been published in Hongkong :-

(From the Coulon Observer.) CALCUTTA, 21st March. Yesterday, the steamer Duke of Devonshire drifted against and broke the moorings of the steamer Egeria, which ran against the Hoogly Bridge Wirks, doing considerable damage The forepart of the steamer, went under the

LONDON, 27th Murch. The Crossdile has not passed through the Canal, but has returned to Suez to repair damages sustained in the Canal Lord George Hamilton has appounced that it is not intended to reappoint the India Finance Committee. The appointment of a smal-

LONDON, 28th March. Babscriptions from Manchester and Salford the Relief Fund, amount to £8,000 LONDON, 28th March. The Indian Famine Loan Bill was read the House of Commons a third time last night

Sir Seymour Fitzgerald (Horsbam) oritioised

onsideration.

cardineality) and Mr. Laing (Orkney and green mangoes. Then we went slowly past a of the Vicetoy's conduct. alone would shew whether the Viceroy's mea-

thous to anticipate a verdict. Fenian prisoners. The request was refused. Staffordsbire.

The Menualch was at Malta on the 27th.

A Legitimist motion to decide upon the June was opposed by the Left, and rejected. Obituary.—Colonel Flliott, of the 51st.

LONDON, 30th March. departments of Haute Marne and Gironde. the wreak of the Nil, whither he repaired upon explained on Saturday, the views of the Go-

miles; to Iruma, where coffine, made after the [Carlisle) proposing the reduction of the total burial place, and separated by a slight stone said the preparations made to avert distress begin that crown them with huge masses of wall thrown round it. The Chinese are interred arising from the Bengal Famine were not based baselt, so regular in their edges and angles that in another, the graves of the latter being tressed districts, but on those of the entire semble great bill forts, now Egyptian temples indicated the appearance of the body, the spot . B ron Lessons aunounces that he submits down below is a little narrow, cool, green plen

Captain Maxwell has accepted the Military squeness, and bugging the abropt fall of a The appointment of Civil Governor is in can see. Then we pull up for a little, and personal kindness and attention which he abeyance, being refused by Governor Berkeley bogin reversing. Are we going down hill The review of the troops engaged in the again, then? It seems as if we were; but when

The Archbishop of Cologue has been arrest-London, 1st April: The Ashintee honours have been guzetted. Commodore Commercil, V.O., and Captain too, the place being a sanitarium, and noted

Garnet Wolseley. Bart., is made Major-General. to General Wolseley and his Staff yesterday. Owing to the augmentation of the establish. ment of Royal Engineers, the following tion and I saw very little of the country of Magdala and Edward William Durnford to are very well fed on these long through journeys

business thrown on his hands has ney Thomas, George Montgomery, William Henry Loftus, Lewis Henry Champernoune.

with the time which bus clapsed since he was Caborne, Lestook, Francis Boileau, T. B. Binke, called, and many friends whom he will leave Savi William Brondfoot, George Frederick, regret to lose a valuable and kindly member of . The following Brevet promotions - Nupier f Magdala to be General. The preparations for the Formess expedition Sir William Erskins Baker, Henry Blois,

> touant-Generals. John Summerfield Hawkins, John Reid Beecher, A. W. Maxwell, Alexander Taylor, Robert The principal Officers in the Asbantes Expedition receive a step of brevet promotion. bir James Lindsay has been appointed Mili-

General Egerton resigned.

COLONEL GORDON'S EXPEDITION.

the Garnek Club and of his collaborateurs on precedented, having reached an aggregate of many spectators. The comin; which was of signed and sent an address of condolence to

BOMBAY TO CALOUTTA (Daily Nows.) Borce Bunder is the business station of Bombay. Our train started, amid a whirlwind of jabber, and ruttled along some three miles, chiefly, as it seemed to me, through hords of

buffalues, stacks of bamboo, litters of brown children, and mudwalled native houses, to the Byculla Station, which is stituated in a second. hand kind of West-end, and which, as lying not far off Malabar hill, the veritable West end. la objefly resorted to by Europeans. At Byculla we took up swells, people who were officially entitled to have carriages to themselves, in which they by and byo found themselves very onely, and whence they were glad temporarily to migrate for the sake of a gossip. With another burst of jabber we were finally on our road to Calcutta. We rattled out into a broad fertile plain, which was almost a forest of palm trees. Now and then there was a wide clearing studded with native camps, resembling those of Spanish gipsies in the lowness and dinginess er Committee with restricted powers, is under of the tents, and the picturesqueuess of the groups gathered in the vicinity; a little farther

on the vista would open up under the palm trees to a pretty bungalow embowered among flowers and low blossoming trees, and through the foliage would glisten the twinkle of water. Presently we passed a native village, picturesque to look upon if probably squalid in its interior. The thatchroofed cottages with their low-wattled walls, up which bright creepers graw, peoped out upon us over their luxuriant Mr. Grant Doff (Elgin Borghs). Mr. Whit. garden patches from under the spreading shade bread (Bedford). Sir George Balfour (Kin- of detached plantain trees and groups of bright beaution so unfamiliar to one acoustomed to Lord George Hamilton (Middlesex) said time the trim bleakness of a railway station at home. Great masses of flowering bind-weed hid the sures have been sufficient, and it was presump- lattice work of the fence. Crespers of varied hues turned round the rustic pillars of the A deputation of Irish members waited yes verandah, and spread their brilliancy over terday on Mr. Disracti to ask for the relase of the sloping roof. Blossoming shrubs flourished in pote and tube all about the plat-Twelve thousand colliers have struck work in form, at one end of which was a miniature flower garden as bright and dainty as a window

case in Grosvenor-place. All are floral; the Sir William Muir's appointment has been directorate offer prizes annually for the most Marshal Serrano has made a general attack | missible, and all the station-masters along the on the Carlists' positions at Bilbao. Fighting line join in the competition. By-say-byelwe continued for two days, but with no decisive cross a tidal river on the bed of which boats are lying waiting with all sail set for the next flow ; The Assembly has passed a vote for the and then we enter a broad valley, bounded on either side by hills. Those on the right are close to us, rising up out of the plain with bold lefinitive form of Government upon the first of steep bluffs clad with bright green underwood, whence here and there shows out the naked rock. and as they rise higher the bold bluffs become perpendicular crags, till the summits consist of Two Republicans have been elected for the servated masses of the beetling rock. On the left side, far away beyond the brondened river-The Assembly adjourns till the 12th of April luke, into the waters of which the trees on its The return of Mr. Pearson from the scene of for the Easter holidays. The duc de Broglie brink droop their branches, and on the surface of which, like emeralds in a set of crystal bearing that his partner, Mr. Lawrence, was vernment on the creation of a Second Chamber. there emile little green islets under the trees of which a poet might dream away his life, there In the House of Commons Mr. Gathorne rises a loftier range of ghants the outlines of gard to the event, at least to what has since Hardy (Oxford University), moved the Abmy which are traced faintly in a sort of nebulous Estimates. He said they were substantially as baze against the deep blue sky. Presently we It would appear that since the day of the ulready provisionally proposed by Mr. Cardwell, reach Callian, where is the junction from wreck the local authorities bave stationed a He pronounced no opinion on recent changes Madras and Poonah, from which latter place large number of watchers on the coast with and would not pledge himself either to the we receive a small military contingent, and orders to take charge of any bodies which possibility of retrenchment or increased ex. here we betake ourselves in earnest to the ascent of the Thull Ghaut. Our train, in addiof these has not exceeded sixteen, and their le proposed to extend short service to the tion to its own engine, is laid hold of by a rece, occupation, or rank in life can only be in- cavalry and artillery, and said that military |" Chant engine," asteam moneter with a pleferred from their clothes, which are indeed all candidates must beneforth be educated at thoric builer and two couple of wheels that holds the bodies together. As they have Sandhurst, prior to being designated to regi- on either side, all, this extra haulage power being required to drag up the rise An amendent moved by Sir W. Lawson of 1,700 feet which intervenes between us and the next station. We dash away at score up into the mountains, which, however, are not were prepared for their reception. A spot in I In reply to a question from Mr. O'Donell have brown or purple mountains, such as we the Japanese cometery has been set apart as a (? The O'Donoghue), Lord George Hamilton know at home, but are green to where the rocks

We dash into a tunnel, and as we emerge deep new tonninge dues, cetimated at £30,000 sides. Then, with a half-turn, we are across it on an embankment which rains its picturecrag which - overbangs as higher than we we look out of window, there, many feet lower

are climbing the ghauts by soute-angled ziglangs, through a wild jumble of abrupt rooks, deep gulleys, frequent tunnels, and deep outtings. At length we reach the top and halt at Egutpoora, where we have tiffin, and where, Hewett, (H.N.) Lt.-Col. Alison. Colonel Mac. for its coolness, we have a glimpse of a croquet

I meant to have been all eyes, at least during A banquet was given in the Maneion Hones day light, throughout the whole journey between Bombay and Calcutta, but heat, drowsiness, and tiffin combined frustrated this determinabetween tiffin and dinner at Nandgaum. You in India, there being wall-supplied refreshment. mme darkness, and when day broke we were rattling across the broad Nerbadda Valley of which it is the pleasant feature that it has never suffered famine through failure of orons. and from its position in relation to the hills which i tercept the monsoon rams, probably never will. Before the railway came and difforded means for exportation, the normal price of wheat in the Nethudda Valley was somewhere about a shilling for fifty pounds. When we traversed it the wheat was off the ground. but the fields were green with urra grain; and other varieties of pulse. At Jubbulpore, where the forencon luncheou balt was made on the second day, we found ourselves once more restored to tivilization. From the last glimpse of the Egutpoora croquet party until now we had seen no white faces by the way, save those of the station-masters and an occasional stray raveller. But Jubbulpore is the junction of the Great Indian Peninsular with the East Indian Railway; it is a station both for Europear and native troops. Civil officials exist there, and the fashionable promenade of the place is the platform of the railway station at train time. Wherefore was it ours to enjoy the spectacle of ladies fair, altired, too,

eyes seemed different in no respect from the height of fushion of the Bois de Boulogue, Letters from Egypt state that Colonel in whose talk and in whose smiles backed male Gordon. O.B., was about to leave for the Upper persons, natty subalterns and civil servants, Nile, after several interviews held with the who were positively dandies. Before such Khedive and his Ministers to settle the details, swelldom, dusty and unaborn travellers shrunk his mission is intended to be of a pacific the sense of shabbiness, and the bumiliating character, and the design of further conquest consciousness of being critically inspected an The vessel will probably sailto-morrow even- he disavowed; but his operations are to be set down sudibly as guye. Late at night on entirely of an independent character, his only the second day of our journey, we reached responsibility being to the Khedive himself, Allahabad, the scene of one of the bloodiest THE LATE MR. SHIRLEY BROOKS. and the Governor of Khurtoum having orders tragedies of the mutiny the scene, too, of the On 28th February, at noon, under a bright to support him if called upon. His artillery earliest victory of the gallant Niell. As sky, and the sun shining as it does not often force consists of one mitrailleur, taken as being we crossed the long bridge over the shine in February, the mortal remains of Mr. there portable than a field gun. He was to smooth-flowing Jamua there stood out in Shirley Brooks were laid in their last resting- start finally from Khartoum for the scene of the moonlight, burd by the junction of the place at Kensal-green. The spot chosen for his operations about the 18th Feb., and to be Ganges and the Jumpu, the tents of the relatives and friends, the two some of Mr. to the course of the river .- Pall Mall Gasette. by the valuant private that be might bring pyor

in a height of fashion which to casqu

the boat by which crossed the sore-needed detachment; and round the corner behind the The value of the coni exported from the river bustion is the gate the mixious sentry on which oried, through tenra of joy; "God bless you, sir, as Niell, hulf dead from heat, but burning with quenchless energy of purpose, ventional radius of the famine country. We

class of society, including the names of the As we came down through Lower Behar the Princesses de Croy, de Wolff Metternich, Com- vegetation of the rhubbee crops vanished gra-There never was a mask so gay but some tesses Korff, Dorste, Nesselrode, Stolberg, Fur. dually. About Luckeeserni we were in the rice stenberg, and many others of the oldest of the country proper, and hardly a speck of green relieved the ble k brown aridity of the cam-

RAILWAY TRAVELLING IN INDIA. gharry wheels to the left, and pulls up with a Roger Tobborne used to mark fictitious tattoo jork at the foot of a broad flight of wooden steps leading up to the platform of a shed. This is the Bores Bunder Railway Station, and it was an hypothesis unknown to the defendant it is thronged by natives of every type and in all sorts of costumes. The heads and their coverings are a study of themselves. Some have no coverings; the skull is shaved bare in front, and on the sides and behind hang down was true, of course, that a vast number of long angkalike block looks which stream over witnesses had been called to depose to the fact long, anake-like black looks, which stream over the shoulders. Other heads are turbaned in green-true deadendants of the prophets, the arm, and had never noticed any tattoo marks wenters of the green turbans others in heavy upon it. But it was for the jury to say whether swathes of brookde, flowered with sprays of

tea-trays, and Parece bats, and the soluli tones it was or was not marked; and it was also for of the Briton, all mingled in a confusion. the din of which beats that of a cageful of the most chattering monkeys known to the student negative. And so, leaving the tattoo marks, of natural history. Occasionally a Blitish oath resounds over all other sounds; but for the most jury to the much voxed question of handpart the natives have it all their own way. One would imagine that a dozen difficulties at least were going on, the only possible issue of which must be a free fight; but further observation leads to the belief that, on the contrary, the conversations, although certainly animated, are on the whole perfectly amicable. To take a ticket at the Apollo Bunder Station is a serious and complicated operation. The nutive gentlemen who act as booking clerks do not, indeed, spend much time over a through ticket taken in London, but the calculation, reference, checking and counter-checking which were found necessary in the case of a passenger to Calcutta, with children and servants travelling by different of sees, warranted fully the precautionary step which he took of coming to the station an hour before the time of starting. The first-class carriages on the East Indian Railway system might with good effect be imitated at home as far, at least, as regards longjourney trains. Each carriage is divided into two compartments, the levatories, of which there is one for each compartment, being in the centre. On what may be called the ground-floor is flowing, and the composition is that of a ... All the Nowest Shapes in Ladies' WHITE, of each compartment there are three com- person accustomed to letter-writing. The de BROWN, DRAB, and BLACK UNTRIM fortable sofas in louther work, the backe of lendant's first letters are those of a schoolboy which are made to be pulled out and raised. giving three more berths on what may be called the first-floor, or second tier. Ordina-jury to other minute matters of detail in the rily however, three are reckoned as a comple- evidence of Mr. Chabot, and to draw his summent for a compartment, and the upper-tier ming-up to a close. "To-morrow morning, couches are not used except when there is a gentlemen," said he, "I shall have to give you pressure on space. There is a double roof to a few general observations, after which I shall intercept the heat; ever the windows there is a leave you to consider your verdict." projecting bood or vorandah for the sake of shade, and each window, in addition to its clouded glass sasb, has a latticed sash of wood- Billings has an entirely bald head; and it is work. In the bot weather an additional con- related of him that once, when he was at the mer Wear. tribution toward coolness is found in Mr. San- Zoological Gardens in Paris, the day being ders's natent, whereby the matting under the warm, he lay down upon one of the benches and perforated false floor, and through which the nir went to sleep. After a while he was awakened has to rise from below, is kept continually by a sense of sufficiention, and when he opened irrigated from a cistern in the roof. But his eyes he found that something covered his at this season (January), there is no require- face. He began to struggle to release himself, ment for a patent cooling apparatus; on the and the next moment a gigantic, estrich leaped contrary, although the sunbeat in the day up and began to prance down the path. The time is strong, it is not oppressive, and at ostrich had observed the top of Josh's bald night the temperature becomes so low that in head, and, mistaking it for one of its eggs, a railway journey the traveller without ruge had begun to sit upon it for the purpose of and wraps would find it bitterly cold. The batching, family carringes on the East Indian railroads The Stammer Twing.-A Reuter's telegram are saloon-shaped, with a table in the centre, a from New York, dated February 20th, says :-

THE TICHBORNE TRIAL.

bright eyes, nose rings sparkling with stones, fatal."

which, if they are not quite real gems, look

nearly as well; massive carrings, which not only

droop from the lobe, but encrust the cartilage;

great silver bracelets, and bangles which clink

are held to adorn.

with every movement of the unkles, which they

187тн Дау.—27ти Бирриаку, 1874 The Lord-Chief-Justice vesterday resumed his summing up by calling attention to the On Lionnon.physical peculiarities which had been relied upon by Dr. Kenesly as part of his case. There was the brown mark on the defendant's side the existence of which had been deposed to by Captain Brown. There was the malformed thumb, or rather thumb-nail, which had also been sworn to both by Captain Brown and by On Bowsar, Bank, 3 days' sight 222 Mrs. Neale, the Melksham barmaid-with this | On Calcutta. -Bank, 3 days sight 222 discrepancy, however, that both the gallant On Shanghal .-captain and the lady who corroborated him had put the deformity in question, not upon the left hand, where it is in the defendant, but upon the right. It was also to be neticed that there was only a minimum of evidence -Oaptain Brown, of course, excepted-to show either that Roger had a brown mark on his side or that his thumb was malformed. Still more was this matter of notice with regard to another maiformation, to which it was impossible to make special reference. No Ohina and Japan Marine Insurance—Tis. 100 doubt the Claimant was, to a certain extent. mulformed. But there was absolutely no evidence whatever to show that any such malformation existed in Roger Tichborne; and, on the other hand, the existence of such a neculiarity in him ought, according to Dr. Kenealy's own showing, to be fatal to that view of the nature of Roger's relations with his consin upon which the learned counsel relied as the cardo rerum in his case. Nor was this all. It was clear that the lobe of Roger Tichborne's ear was distinctly attached to his face. It was equally clear that the defendant's ear had a large and pendulous lobe. So, too, it was established beyond all question that Roger Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$75 per Tichborne when a lad had an issue in his arm. and that the mark of an issue is ineradicable. And it was equally established that there is no mark of an issue upon the defendant's arm, and that such scars as he has there are, if anything, the scara of a seton. So, touching upon other portions of the medical evidence, his lordship went on to call the attention of the jury to the mark on the defendant's left forearm. If they believed the bypothesis put forward by the prosecution, the mark had been caused, as in "Sir Jasper's Tenant," by the obliteration of the tattooed initials "A. O." If they believed the evidence of Mr. Lewis, the linendraper's apprentice of Alresford it had been caused by a wound or "prod" with an iron-shod stick. It was for the jury to say to which side they inclined, and which account they believed. But most vital of all was the evidence as to the

be believed, or he was not. If Lord Bellew was to be believed the case was at a end: for he had sworn prost positively that he had tattooed Roger Tichborne upon his left arm cand it was not disputed for the defence that a tattoo mark could only be removed by excision or cautery. Dr. Kenealy, it was true, had tried to discredit Lord Bellew's evi dence, and had suggested to the jury that his lordship was not to be believed upon his oath, because of a certain most ead and painful passage in his life. "I never witnessed, gentlemen," said his lordebip, "in any court of justice, a more painful scene than the cross examination of Lord Bellew. I cadnot help thinking that a bitter and malignant spirit to be found in his if 1671. Hongkong, Shanghai, Cologne (Germany.) instructions bad infused into the mind of the learned counsel a aimilar feeling towards the unfortunate witness whom he had in his power. I cannot easily forget the expression of malignant glee which was exhibited in the crossexamination. Lord Bellew was first asked if he had ever played a practical joke with a friend; and, as it was clear that he had no notion of what was coming, the learned counsel went on to ask. Did you ever take away your friend's wife? There was a bitter malignity the High or West Coksen Island have cations and equivalents of different words which Sy order of the Consulting Committee,

tattoo marks. Either Lord Bellew was to

who was anxious not to compromise an The Illuminating Apparatus will be revolving | have one general meaning. Of these examples unfortunate woman, and who might very pro- Dioptric, of the First Order, shewing white this work contains more than five times as perly have refused to answer. Lord Bellew. flashes of one minute intervals. however, had answered the question, and because The Light will be elevated about 286 feet lished be bad answered it Dr. Kenealy had denonaced above the level of the sea, and, in clear weather, For practical purposes the arrangement of him me a man unfit to be believed upon his it should be visible from a distance of 24 nan- the work is so complete that a reference oath. It was only right to Lord Bellew to tical miles. oath. It was only right to Lord Bellew to tical miles.

take his own version of the story into account. The Tower will be round, of stone, 85 feet stands. English to communicate effectively It ill became the learned counsel for the defence, high, with a total height from its base to the with natives who understand nothing but Chiwhose whole case rested upon the tale of the vane of 64 feet. ulleged seduction of Lady Radeliffe, to thus During the progress of the works, and till indispensable to all Europeans residing in attack Lord Bellow. Mr. Serjeant Ballantine, the exhibition of the Rovolving Light, a tem- China, and to the natives themselves it exa man second to none in zeal for his client, and parary Dioptric fixed white light of the Sixth plains subjects fully with which very few in-known better than to thus abuse the freedom Order will be shown, which, in clear weather, deed of them are perfectly acquainted. To of the bur, and with it all sense of propriety should be visible from a distance of 7 nautical parties resident in England and interested in and desency. Dr. Kenealy had, it was true, miles. suggested that Lord Bollow bud been bribed. Approximate position :- Latitude 24.59 W. It comprises upwards of two thousand large But us had not dared to suggest who it was that had bribed him. Was it the By order of the Inspector General of Customs, Crown? Was it Mr. Stourton? Was it the "Tichbornes? Was it the Beymours? Was

Bellew, what had the defence alleged? Dr. Kenealy had, it was true, brought forward a After driving for about a mile and a half, our most ingenious hypothesis, to the effect that marks upon his arm with chalk and Indian ink. But to this there was the simple answer that himself; and this was so clear from the fact that, when Lord Bellew gave his evidence in the Court of Common Pleas, no mention o these quasi-tattoo marks was ever made. It that they had often seen Roger Tichborne's these witnesses had had a distinct opportunity. silver. There are fezes, and things like white of seeing Roger's arm, and noticing whether them to bear in mind that in a case of thi kind affirmative evidence is much stronger than his lightship went on to call the attention of the

writing, with all its minutio of "Wagg-Wagga w's" and small "i's" and upstrokes and downstrokes, and varieties orthography, such as "busted" for "burst." receved " for "received," " Elizaberth " for Elizabeth," "chilldren" for "children," truble? for "trouble," "fue" for "few," 'anuff" for "enough," and so forth. "If, gentlemen," said his lordship, " you look at the general character of Roger Tichborne's writing, and then examine that of the defendant; the two will be found as dissimilar as it is pos- ed for SPRING and SUMMER WEAR, consible for the writing of two men to be. Roger | sisting of :-He had no lack of fluency of language, he spelt Light Materials. badly, if you like; and besides spelling badly he wrote sometimes ungrammatically, and very LIN MORNING WRAPPERS. often in French idioms, translating from the French into English. But there are none of those gross, uneditonted vulgarisms which you find in the defendant's letters. Roger's style | Parisian designs. -with short, hopping sentences." And so his lordship went on to call the attention of the

CAUTION TO BALD-HEADED MEN.-Josh

bath-room at one end, and at the other a nar- "The result of preparatory nutopay of the row compartment for servants, whonce the pun- Sigmese twins shows the existence of a perikau, so indispensable to comfort in hot weather, tones connection extending into the band may be cooled. The first-olass carriages are Although not continuous, an intimate visceral almost invariably occupied only by Europeans. connection existed, as shown by the fact that The second-class vehicles, which are airy and on a fluid being injected into the mesenteric SETS. comfortable, are also chiefly used by European vein of the one it passed into the vein of the civilians and by soldiers; and the third-class other. The liver of Chang was in its normal are almost wholly given over to the natives, position, but in Eng it was on the left side, who seldem sit on the seats, but use them and the spleen on the right. There was a comas species of perch. In the third-class mon umbilical cord, and the umbilious being carriages set apart for women there is a rare situated in the middle of the band; proved show of dusky but not always uncomely faces, that a separation during life would have been

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STEAM TO SHANGHAL (Taking Cargo at through rates for NAGASAKI. THE P. & O. S. N. Co. a Steamship

after the arrival of the next English Mail. A. McIVER. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, 17th April, 1874.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON via SUEZ CANAL. THE Company's Steamship

"ULYSSES" will be despatched on or about the 4th May. Insurance risks accepted on behulf of the Company as under i-On Ten 27/, %, all risks, 18/. /, F.P.A.

... Silk 18/. % do. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, 144 599 Hongkong, 21st April, 1874. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

WINDWARD. Capt, Stangard, will load here for the above port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL HAGEDORN & Co. ti 591 Hougkong, 20th April, 1874 FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY

TERHE Al American Barque

"BURTON STATHER," Capt. Carphin, will have immediate despatch. for the above ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co. tf 582 Hongkong, 17th April, 1874.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

(To follow the American Ship " Malay.")

THE A 1 Clipper Ship

HE Spanish Barque

ORACLE," Erquiaga, Master, will have early desputch as For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. tf 575 Hongkong, 16th April, 1874. FOR MANILA

MARIA Y VICENTA Captain Santa Coloma, will have immediate desputch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Go. if 508 Hongkong, 2nd April, 1874. FOR HAMBURG

THE A1 German Bark "ALBATROS." Captain P. Hansen, will load here and at B. P. Clough, Master, will bave early despatch Whampon for the above port, and will have quick deenatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

479 Hongkong, 28th March, 1874.

FOOOHOW DOOK.

Intimations

PAGODA ANOHORAGE. HE above Granite-floored DOCK has latel been LENGTHENED to 400 fest over all. and is now capable of receiving vessels up to 380 feet on the keel. The breadth of the Dock at the bottom is 40 feet, at the top 80 feet, and the width at the entrance is 56 feet. Depth of water on the sill 13 feet at average neap, and 17 feet at average apring tides. The Dock has a Caisson Gate, and is pumped

out by steam. A new FOUNDRY for large iron and brass States (in a closed mail to France), to Saigon. Singapore, Galle, Australia and Now Zealand, castings has recently been added. The Machine Shop contains a 12 inch Screw Cutting Gap lathe, Small Lathes, Drilling and and Alexandria.

Screwing Machines, Steam Saw Mill, Large Smithy, &c., &. Dry Godowns are on the premises, available until 11 A.M. on the 28rd instant, after which for stowage of cargo, &c.

A large stock of Timber, Metal, and other Dock-yard Material always on band. Vessels dooked for examination, remetalled, resparred, répairs also done in harbour : and until 10 A.M. on the 23rd instant. iron ships and steamers cleaned and painted, at moderate charges. Particulars can be obtained at the Dock, or on application to the under-

The Steam Tug Woosung is in thorough working order, and is available at all times to tow vessels to or from sen, at reasonable rates. JOHN FURSTER & Co. tt 1039 Foochow, 18th June, 1879.

A. MILLAR & CO. TOUSE, SHIP, AND STEAMBOAT PLUMBERS. COPPERSMITHS & BRASSFOUNDERS No. 1: Queen's Road East and Nullah Lans, Opposite H.M. Naval Dock Yard. 4 387 Hongkong, 1st March, 1871.

THE UNDERSIGNED begs to inform t Public of HONGKONG, HO NAM, AND CANTON tont he has sliops established at those places in toe name of HING KEE. In HONGKONG, at the Central Market No. 12. he has constantly on hand BEEF the best quality. In HO NAM and CANTON SHOPS, the foregoing articles, with the addition of SPI RITS, SODA WATER, &c., and GAME when

Gentlemen and Families desirous of patronizing him, are requested to apply at his shops be furnished, which will be supplied at the same to the postage.

HING KEE. ly 745 Hongkong, 13th May, 1873.

TN Order to meet the wishes of the Native Community, the Chinese Issue of this Paper has been, from the commencement of the Ohina New Year, issued DAILY instead of on

Agents, internate days as before. The Paper has been Established for nearly General Post-Office, Twenty Years, and is, as to Editorial Management, under the Direction of a Well Educated Ohinese Gentleman; gives reliable commercial and general information, and has the same vertisements and News as the English Daily Packet, will be the same as those chargeable on Press with the Foreign Community. The Charge for Advertisements will be as hereto-

Hongkong, 23rd February, 1874.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITUMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POIN DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND

MARSEILLES: BOMBAY, ST. DENIS, AND PORT LOUIS

N THURSDAY, the 23rd April, 1874. at noon, the Company's Steamship "ANADYR." Commandant RICODET, wit MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CAR-GO, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping orders will be granted till noon,

cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M. on the 22nd April, 1874. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

O. BERTRAND. Principal Agent. Hongkong, 9th April, 1874. SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE

GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI-TERRANEAN PORTS, AND **BOUTHAMPTON:**

BOMBAY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA. WHE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM I NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship "CHINA." Captain C. G. PERRINS, wit Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and will leave for the above place about 24 hours Cargo, will leave this for the above places on viz. :--SATURDAY, the 25th April, at noon.

Cargo will be received on board until noon. Superintendent, Specie and Parcels at the office until 2 P.M. on the 24th idem. For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. A Written Declaration of the Contents General Post-Office.

and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents, with the Bills of Lading with Parcels; and the Company do not hold thomselves responsible for any Detention or Prejudice which may happen from the incorrectness in such declaration The Company reserve the option of forward

ing all goods shipped by their Steamers for Canal in their own Steamers, or in vessels employed for the purpose. Shippers of cargo for Bombay are requested to take note, that the Steamers leaving Hongkong in correspondence with the Australian Steamers from Galle to Bombay, may call at

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. A. MolVER, Superintendent. Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation On's Office, Hongkong, 15th April, 1874.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA PANA-MA, TOUCHING AT YOROHAMA. AND SAN FRANCISCO.

U.S. MAIL DIND.

TIME S. S. " GREAT REPUBLIC" will leave Hongkope for San Francisco, vin Yokohams, on TUESDAY, the 12th May, at S P.M., taking Passengers. Mails, and Freight, for General Post-Office, Japan, the United States, and Europe. Through Passenger Tickets and Bills of Lading are issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco. to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, chargeable on Packets of printed papers or and to New York and Europe, VIA PANAMA. patterns of light weight sent from Hougkong A Steamer of the Company will leave Shanghai, via the Inland Sea Ports, about the same date, and make close connection at Yokohama. Viz :-At New York and Aspinwall, Passengers have selection of various lines of Steamers to England, France, and Germany.

Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. of the 11th May, Parcel Packages will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. of the same and eight centafor every additional four onness. day. All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full : value of same is required. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, and Trade Patterns or Samples.

G. B. EMORY. Hongkong, April 15th, 1874.

Post-Office Notifications.

A mail will closs. The Mails for Swatow, Amoy, and Foothow, per Yesso, will close at 11.30 A.M. to-day, the 23rd instant, instead of at the time previously For Manila. - Per steamer Leonor, on Saturday, the 25th instant, at 9.30 A.M.

MAILS BY THE " FRENCH PACKET! The French Muil Packet "ANADYR" will be dispatched on THURSDAY, the 23rd instant, at noon, with the dials-To and through the United Kingdom via Marseilles; to France and other Continental

Aden, Scychelles, Reunion and Mauritius, Sucz The Post Office will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Newspapers, Books, &c., no Letters can be received. Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the Uhited Kingdom will be granted until 5 p.m. on the 22nd instant. Letters for Registration will be received

F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General General Post Office, Hongkong, 10th April, 1874.

MAILS BY THE " ENGLISH PACKET! The English Contract Packet "CHINA," will be dispatched with the usual Mails for Enrope, &c., on SATURDAY, the 25th instant, Money Orders on any of the Money Order

Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.m. on the 24th instant. The Post-Office will be open until 6 P.M. on the 24th instant. Letters, &c., may be posted during the night in the box left open for their reception. Letters for registration will be received until O A.M. on the 25th instart.

Letters may be posted until 10 A.M. on the 25th instant, without late fee. · Letters posted after 10 A.M. on the 25th. instant, will not be forwarded unless the Late TABLES, and OILMAN'S STORES, &c., of Fee of 18 cents each as well as the postage is

The latest time for posting Letters at this Office is 11 A.M., and for Newspapers, Books, or Patterns 10 A.M. on the 25th metant: Late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Brindisi, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet from 11.30 A.M. to the time of sailing, on pay-

F. W. MITCHELL,

General Post-Office. Hongkong, 15th April, 1874. It is hereby notified that henceforward the

Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873.

postage on letters addressed to Denmark, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 28 cents per half-ounce, prepayment optional. Unpaid letters will be subject to an additional charge F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster Genera

It is hereby notified that the rates of postage chargeable henceforth on Letters addressed to the United Kingdom, and to places beyond the United Kingdom, when forwarded by French

Postmoster General.

Letters forwarded by British Packet via Brin-F. W. MITCHELL

General Post Office. Hongkong, 29th April, 1872. - The Post Office of Victoria (Australia) having given notice to the General Post Office in London that articles of Jewellery received in that Colony are chargeable with Customs Duties, the undersigned considers it necessary to make this Regulation known to the Public, and to

state that any letters or packets containing

such articles sent through the Post are liable, with their contents, to be forfeited. F.W. MITCHELL. Postmaster Gerenal.

General Post-Office, Hongkong, 2nd January, 1873. It is hereby notified for general information, that the Postage on Letters addressed to Norway, when forwarded via Southampton, will henceforward be 36 cents for each balf ounce, which may either be paid in advance, or it may be left to be collected on delivery of the Letters. Unpaid Letters will be subject to an additions

charge on delivery. F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

General Post Office. Hongkong, 23rd August, 1870. It is hereby notified for general information that on and after the 1st August next, the Commission chargeable on Money Orders issued upon the United Kingdom at Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama will be se follows,

On sums not exceeding £2......18 cents. Above £2 and not exceeding £5...36 Above £5 and not exceeding £7...54 Above £7 and not exceeding £10..72

F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, 15th July, 1870.

When forwarded via

It is hereby notified for general information that, the Postage (which must be paid in advanced) upon letters addressed to Prince Edward Island, will henceforward be as follows,

Brindisi 42 cents each half-ounce. When forwarded via Marseilles 36 cents each half-ounce. When forwarded via Southampton 28 cents each half-ounce. F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General. Hongkong, 28th July, 1870.

Arrangements having been made under vhich Mails for London arriving at Sucz from China by Private Ships will be forwarded todestination via Brindisi, it is hereby notified that the rates of postage, which must be paid in advance, on correspondence addressed to the United Kingdom so forwarded, will be as fol-

For Newspapers...... 8 , each. not exceeding lounce 4 cents. every additional 4 , 12 , F. W. MITCHELL. Postmaster General.

General Post Office.

It is hereby notified that Letters addressed to France may be sent either paid or unpaid at the option of the sender; but the postage on Prices Current, Newspapercand Books cannot be prepaid For each 1 ounce

The rate of postage chargeable on

Letters addressed to France per

Hongkong, 20th December, 1871.

Per British Packet when marked via -Per British Packet when marked via Alexandria and Marseilles...... 12

F. W. MITCHELL. Postmäster General. Hongkong, 2nd April, 1872.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the rates of postage which must be paid in advance. to the United Kingdom by the United States. Packets via San Francisco, will be as follows

in weight...... 2 cents For a packet above 1 cunce not ex-For a packet above 2 ounces not ex-These rates apply to Printed Circulars, Price Lists, Market Reports, and all printed papers lother than Newspapers, as well as to Books

For a packet not exceeding lounce

F. W. MITCHELL. Postmuster General. Acting Agent, General Post Office. Hongkong, 12th April, 1870.

Extracts. INVOCATION TO THE NEW YEAR. BY TENNYSON.

Ring out, wild bells, to the wild eky, The flying cloud, the frosty light; The year is dying in the night; Ring out, wild bells, and let him die. Ring out the old, ring in the new, Ring happy bells across the snow: The year is going let him go: Ring out the false, ring in the true. Ring out the grief that saps the mind, For those that here we see no more: Ring out the fend of rich and poor,

ling in redress to all mankind. Ring out a slowly dying cause, And ancient forms of party strife; Ring in the nobler modes of life. With sweeter manners, parer laws. Ring out the want, the care, the sin, The faithless coldness of the times: Ring out, ring out my'mournful phymes

But ring the fuller minstrel in. Ring out false pride in place and blood, The civic shander and the spite: Ring in the love of true and right. Ring in the common love of good. Ring out old shapes of foul disease. Ring out the narrowing lust of gold; Ring out the thousand wars of old, Ring in the thousand years of peace. Ring in the valunt manand free, . The larger heart the kindlier hand; Ring out the darkness of the land.

BORN CRIMINALS.

Ring in the Christ that is to be.

We accept the authority of those who hav studied criminals, that there is a class of them marked by defective physical and mental organisation, one result of their natural defect, which really determines their destiny in life being an extreme deficiency or con not criminals, and they do not go mad because they are criminals. - Responsibility in Mental Disease. By Henry Maudeley, M.D | dynasty, but we know that under the sixth

· THE APE'S ENCROACHMENT ON MAN'S LIKENESS.

to that which is expressed in the ballad,

- "Thou art so near, and yet so far." To the ape we might say, with a cortain further advanced than under the third. W closely upon us.—

"Thou art so far, and yet so near." When reflecting that we are after all but little removed in structure from the highest is so eagerly urged upon us by the atheistic and the materialistic party, who try to drive us out of our confidence in a future state, by confounding our destiny with that of the apo. -Essays on Religion and Literature.

Japan is usually selemnised when the bride servoir of Lake Moeris was dug out, but M. as well as the "breakfast," takes place in the of people-coming from the North-East in-bride's home. The preparations for the vaded Egypt. Who were these people? At the following rates, subject to, a discount of ceremony are next commenced. "In the Kulmucks, I think, says one of the greatest: 20 */o. chief room a domestic altar is erected, adorned living authorities. Semites, I am pretty Detached and semi-dewith flowers and laden with offerings; and sure, says another. So much is certain, tached Dwelling Houses in front of this altar, images of the gods and that they were a pastoral race; and removed from Town, and The aquariums are supplied with various herds. The invaders settled in Lower Egypt plants, grouped picturesquely and with sym- in the region near the Suez Canal, and re-bolical significance. On the lacquer-work mained in the land a considerable time. How tables are placed dwarf cedars and small long? Well one great living authority tells Shops,&c., and their Con-panied by the venerable attributes, the hun-thority tells-us-not nearly so long-less dred-years-old crane and tortoise. To com- probably than 100 years.—Contemporary plete the picture by a lesson in morals and Review. patriotism, some packets of edible seaweed. of mussels, and dried fish, are placed among the wedding presents, to remind the young couple of the primitive food and the simple customs of the ancient inhabitants of Japan." THE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE IN-Towards noon on the auspicious day, the bridal procession arrives at the apartments | CPECIAL ATTENTION of Shippers is called which have been prepared as above described. So to the low rates of premium charged for The bride is veiled and attired in a white all steamer ricks, besides which a brokerage of silken robe, the veil being also of white silk, (3.1) THIRTY THREE and ONE THIRD and sometimes used as a sort of mantle: she PER CENT, is allowed by this Company on is led by her two bridesmaids, and attended ALL INSURANCES. by a numerous retinue of relatives and friends. all dressed in as gorgeons attire as they can afford. According to Humbert, the bridesmaids are called, by the Japanese, the male YANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION and female butterfly, and are supposed to personify, in their dress, &c., that couple which, according to the popular theory, sets such a laudable example of conjugal fidelity! These bridesmaids (we adopt the neurest English term) are a most important element in the marriage caremonial, for upon them devolves the duty of putting the guests in their places, and superintending the various arrangements for the nuntial meal. When the bride and bridegroom first meet before the assembled relations and guests, the former, for this occasion only, takes the seat of honour, her future lord sitting at the side and below her. At the nuptials of persons of high rank some curious ceremonies are observed, which are omitted by those of lower dogree, such as the pounding and mixing together of two bowls of rice (the staff of life pared to accept right against Fire at current in the East), some minimery with a pair of rutes, subject to a bonue of 20 per cent. lighted candles, &c. The binding or vital part of the marriage ceremony in Japan seems to be very similar to that which obtains among the Chinese, and consists in the bride and bridegroom drinking, according to a set form, nine tiny cups of wine, or, rather. THE Undersigned having been appointed. saki. On this point, Humbert, in his work quoted before, remarks: "Amongst the objects displayed in the midst of the circle of the guests is a metal vase, in the form of a pitcher with two mouths; this vase is beautifully ornamented. At an appointed signal one of the bride's ladies fills it with saki; the other. takes it by the handle, raises it to the height of the mouths of the kneeling bride and bridegroom, and makes them drink alterna-It is thus that, husband and wife, must drink Not exceeding 10 days, + of the annual rate, from the cup of conjugal life he on his side, Not exceeding I month; do. do. she on hers; but they must both taste the Above I month and not

same ambrosia or the same gall. They

must share equally the pains and sorrows,

as well as the joys, of this new exis-

tence. One very strange custom connected

with marriage in Japan is that a wife in

that country blackens her teeth, and plucks out or shaves off her evebrows, in svidence o her fidelity to her husband. Brides in the IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMupper ranks of life usually go through the former operation before they leave their ancestral homes, the latter being performed shortly after the nuptial ceremony. The mixture for blackening the teeth is said to be composed of metal filings, saki, and gallnuts; and the custom must be a very unpleasant and troublesome one to Japanese ladies, for the operation has to be gone through nearly every day, if they wish to keen their tooth a proper colour. Japanese wives, too, need behave themselves with the atmost discretion, for their spouses are said to have the power of killing them on the slightest suspicion as to their actions. All the Year Round.

The eldest historical King of Egypt was Menes, and its ancient history extends from his reign to the decree of the Emperor Theodosius, which 381 years after our era abolished the ancient religion of the land and introduced Christianity. You ask me, per- F. LAEISZ. haps, when Menes lived. I reply that I do not know, but you may judge that it was pretty long ago, when I tell you that Menes was the first King of the first dynasty, and that Joseph was Prime Minister to the last King of the seventeenth dynasty. From Menes to Theodosius thirty-four dynasties ruled in the known as the dynasties of the Old Empire. German Re-Insurance Companies, is prepared. The next seven are known as the dynasties of to necept Risks to the extent of \$65,000, and the Middle Empire. The next fourteen are Policies will be granted by the Undersigned at known as the dynasties of the New Empire. the culture are known as those of the 20 %. Lower Empire or Lower periods—these last extending from Alexander the Great, 332 years before Christ, to Theodosius, whose date plete absence of moral sense. In addition to I have already given you, 381 after Christ. he perversion or entire absence of moral The first three dynastics have left but few sense, which experience of habitual criminals monuments so far as we at present know, brings prominently out, other important facts | but of course new excavations may require disclosed by the investigation of their family this statement to be altered. They reigncome instance, or that they-spring from families in which instance, epilepsy, or some other did not, it is at present impossible to neurosis exists, and that the diseases from say. The fourth dynasty built the Pyrawhich they suffer and of which they die are mids of Gizeb, and in its time Egypt chiefly tubercular diseases and diseases of the was unquestionably a very civilized, and, nervous system. Crime is a sort of outlet in in many respects, a happy country, and which their unsound tendencies are dis. that at a period when not only our part of antiquity; was absolutely barbarous. We have very little information about the fifth

Egypt warred successfully in Nubia, and carried on mining operations in the Penin- (10%) only; on ALL OTHER INSURANCES Fame sula of Sinai. After the sixth dynasty, a in Brokerage of Thirty-three and One-third per Feiwan, dark yell falls over the history of the cent. (331 %) on the Premis will be allowed, as Gordon Castle This likeness- is an acknowledged fact, Nile valley to the end of the eleventh heretofore. which no one, I believe, has been inclined to dynasty, with which the old Empire, or dispute, as it would be indeed idle to do, first period of Egyptian history, came to since its truth has been always virtually ac- an end. It is believed that during this cepted, in the common definition we use, in interval the prosperity of the country resaying that man is an animal. This is what ceived a check, but whether in consequence the truly alleged structural similarity really of foreign invasion, or some other calamity, amounts to. Having, then, the animal is, as yet, quife uncertain. The day dawns form, we must not be surprised to learn, that for us again with the eleventh dynasty, whose when our structure is more closely examined, seat was at Thebes, and not in any of the old the truth becomes more strikingly plain. royal cities of Egypt-Memphis, or Thinis, And when viewed in greater fulness of detail, or far southern Elephantine, That dynasty it is hardly possible—notwithstanding our has left us some remains, whose comparaprevious knowledge of the general truth tive rudeness lends confirmation to the -thavoid a reflexion of an inverse description idea that the end of the Old Empire had been gloomy and disastrous. Egypt under RISKS. the eleventh dynasty seems to have been no shrinking at the grim creature's trenching so have seen similar phenomena in Scotland,thanks to the long English Wars. With the twelfth dynasty we reach another period of great splendour and high civilization. Egypt is once more in possession not only vertebrated animals, many will feel rising in of the whole country from the First Cataract their minds a suggestion, such as that which to the Sea, but holds the Peninsula of Sinai, and fights successfully with its neighbours the Cushites, in the very regions which Sir Samuel Baker has lately traversed, and which are just going to be placed under the rule of Colonel Gordon, the distinguished leader of the famous force which was known to the Chinese as the Ever-Victorious Army. Un-MARRIAGE CEREMONIES IN JAPAN. der this dynasty was raised the obelisk Early marriages being the rule in the East, of Heliopolis, about which I have already NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE Faugh Balaugh the marriage between the betrothed pair in spoken, and, according to some, the great reand bridegroom are respectively about sixteen | Mariette is now inclined to consider it much and twenty years old. On the morning of older. Of the thirteenth dynasty and its doings the nuptial day, the bride's trouseau is taken | we have few details, but there is no doubt to her future home, and carefully set out for that under it Egypt was prosperous, and it the inspection of the guests at the approach- is believed that the same may be said of the 'ing festivities; much in the same way as fourteenth, but after it came a new and terwedding presents are in our own country, rible change. Pushed forward by some force, THE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong for Sea Belle except that, in the latter case, the display, the nature of which is unknown to us, a race

insurances.

SURANCE COMPANY OF BATAVIA. SIEMSSEN & Co.,

tf 270 Hongkoug, 19th February, 1874 OF SHANGHAL

NOTICE.

N and after SATURDAY, the let November, a Brokerige of Thirty-three and onethird per cent: (39% %), will be allowed on all insurances granted by this Association.

RUSSELL & Co.,

if 1800 Hongkong, 30th October, 1873. TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

TIME undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are pre-SIEMSSEN & Do.

17 39 Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. JAVA BEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

port, are prepared to grant Policies ugainst (20%) upon surrent local rates of Premia, will Fire at current rates, subject to a bonus of 20 be returned on Lusurances against fire, effected ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. tf 1801 Hongkong, 31st October, 1879

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY,

tely, each from the pitcher mouth, placed op- THE following rates will be charged in future Insurances, viz posite to their lips, until the vase is emptied. I for SHORT PERIOD Insurances, viz: Above 3 months and not 1

exceeding 6 months... EDWARD NOBTON & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company. of 242 Hougkong, 22nd Junuary, 1870.

Insurances. HHE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies FIRST CLASS BISK at Current Rates.

RETURN OF TWENTY PER CENT. (20 will be made on the premium charged on all Insurances, such RETURN being payable on the issue of the Policy. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Imperial Fire Insurance Company

333 Hougkong, let March, 1874. NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY AT HAMBURG. INCORPORATED A.D. 1868.

.Court of Administration. Joh. Beeenberg Goss Emile Nölting & Co. WACHSMUTH & KROG. LER & Co.

CARL WOERMANN. Managing Director .- C. PERGER. Agents at Hongkong.—Melchers & Co.

THE Company, disposing of a Capital 20,000,000 Reichsmark, according to arvalley of the Nile. The first ten of these are rangements with and guaranteed by important the current local rates, subject to a discount o

> MELCHERS & Co. tf-90 Houghong, 14th January, 1874. HINA AND JAPAN MARINE INSU-RANCE COMPANY.

> > NOTICE.

FTER this dute, a brokerage of Thirty-three and one-third per cent. (331%) will be allowed by this Agency on risks to ports in OHINA, JAPAN, the PHILIPPINES, and the STRAITS. On risks to all other ports, the brokerage will be ten per cent. (10 %) only. Wм. PUSTAU & Co..

tf 131 Hongkong, 21st January, 1874. charged; they would go mad if they were Enrope, but even Greece, the mother of our THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY,

> A FTER this date, the Brokerage allowed by Chinkiang this Company on the Promis on RISKS Danube to ports west of Singapore, will be Ten per cent. Delta OLYPHANT & Co.,

- General Agents. tf. 42 Hongkong, 5th January, 1874. BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows :--MARINE RISKS. Policies at current rates, payable either here, in London, or at the principal ports of India, Sir J. Jeejeebhoy Australia, and the East. A BROKERAGE of THIRTY-THREE and ONE- | White Cloud § THIED PEE CENT. will be allowed on all LOCAL Yesso.

FIRE RISKS. Policies granted on First-class Buildings to an extent of \$20,000. A DISCOUNT OF TWENTY PER CENT. (20%) upon the current local rates will be allowed on all premium charged for insurance; such discount being deducted at the time of the issue RUSSELL & Co..

1y 1 Hongkong, let January, 1874. A YOSITIVE GOVERNMENT SECURITY LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITHD. OHAS, H. MORGAN, ly 966 Hongkong, 18th June, 1873.

INSURANCE COMPANY. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER AND SPECIAL ACTS OF PARLIAMENT. Established 1809.

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OAPITAL-22,000,000. Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000

Other Dwelling Houses, need strictly as such, and their Contents

Not exceeding one 1 monti... Above 1 month, and not 1xceeding 3/months Abovo 3 months, and l not exceeding 6 months 3 4

SHORT PERIOD INSURANCES.

Above 6 months the full annual rate. GILMAN & Co., tf 1903 Hougkong, 21st November, 1873. THE UHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG-A GENOIES at all the Treaty Ports of Ohina and Japan. and at Singapore, Saigon and Penang.
Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Premium current at the Mosquito above-mentioned Ports. Ороввим No charge for Policy fees.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Princess Charlotte

Hongkong, let November, 1871. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. CAPITAL TWO MILLION STERLING. INHE Undersigned having been appointed Agent for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extend of £10,000, on Buildings or on

Secretary.

EDWARD NORTON & Co. if 241 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1870. PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigued baying been appointed Agents to the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co. tf 717 Hongkong, 9th November, 1868.

OUEMN INSURANCE COMPANY. TAROM and after this date, and until further Agents for the above Company at this I notice, a Discount of Twenty per cent. with this Office. EDWARD NORTON & Co. tf 1174 25th June, 1872.

> HROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for SHORT PERIOD Not exceeding Ten days t the annual rates Lintin Not exceeding 1 month 1 Above I month, and not a exceeding three months. Above 8 months, and not) Ching-Sing exceeding six months Demerara i Above six months the full annual rute. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

tf 678 Hongkong, 26th August 1869

Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company, Kasagakan

NOTICE

PRODUCE Insurances. HONGKONG MARKETS. insprances. Ningpo, As Reported by Chinese on the 22nd April, 1874. LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE 14 t0 a 1470 MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COM-COTTON GOODS. 14.00 a 14.28 Shantung insurance company: PANY OF MANCHESTER AND COTTOX YARM, No. 16 a 24 .. per pioul \$107.00 a \$116.00 11.50 a 15.50 LONDON. 1.70 a 1.85 28 . 82... TAROM this data, until further notice, a dis-Sassanurs, Japan white, 3.90 at 4.19 fillE Undersigned have been appointed dant Surarres, 7 a 77 lbs ... per plece \$1.98 a 2.00 count of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the 3.50 a 8.75 against Fire to the extent of \$60,000 on any current local rate of premis will be allowed Rtow, Bengal, Cargo No. 1 2.45 a 2.50 Agents for the above Company at Hong-2,20 a 2,58 upon insurances effected with this Company. kong. Canton. Fouchow, Shangbai, and Han-WHITE SHIRTINGS, 66 a 60 reed. 1.70 a 1.86 DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. kow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at 1.60 a 1.65 Current Rates Agents. 2.35 4 2.40 tf 1193 Hougkong, 27th June, 1872. WHITE SPOTTED DO. per plece 2.66 a 2.60 HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. 2.10 a 2.16 Singaporeman, and a section of WHITE BEOCADES, 1.60 a 1.86 tf 1958 Hongkong, 15th October, 1868. NOTICE AMBRICAN DEILLS, 30 yards 2.10 a 2.15 OHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY 2.95 a 2.40 Bangoon, with the ter ment ter GRAY T.CLOTES, 25 yd; & 82 in .7 lbs. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. 6.00 a . 6.70 (LIMPTED). 24 . 4 88 . 8 bs . JOALS: APLOAT, per 100. DYED SPOTTED SURTINGS, NOTICE. THE Undersigned are prepared to grant BYED BROCADE DO. American Anthracito, 12.76°a — Policies against Fire in the above Com-DIED DAMAGEA DO. Bydney, per piece 5.80 4 6.00 pany at ourrent rates, subject to a discount of TOOLICIES granted at current rates on Ma-Winnew Glass per box. 4.00 a 4.15 PRANTS PRODUCE, &c., rine Risks to all parts of the World. In HANDENBURGERRES, Blue. per dos. 0.55 d. 0.6 20 per cent. BATTARS, Straits, per pel. 6.06 a 6/20 Brown accordance with the Company's Articles of As-ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Ban ar sociation, Two-thirds of the Profits are distri-Agents, Royal Insurance Company ELVETS, Black, 22 ins. per yard 0.21 a 0.22 Pappas Whitemanners () 22,80 a 22,50 buted annually to Contributors, whether Shareif 1617 Hongkong, 1st October, 1873. Black Gentian, 92 14 80 a 14.70 holders or not, in proportion to the net amount BETHE NUT. 3.75 4 4 40 THE LONDON ABSURANCE of Premia contributed by each, the remaining .4.30 a . 4.50 WOOLLEN GOODS. South See. 15.00 a 17.50 third being carried to Reserve Fund. BAPAR WOOD, Manila, INCORPORATED BY BOYAL CHARTER OLYPHANT & Co.. one Errs, MAf Suariet, perpiece 9.00 a 9.05 BLOUR, California, per sack of 50 hs. General Agents. Assorted 8:40 a 8.50 HIS MAJESTY RING GEORGE THE FIRST, HH Scarlet, 16 951 Honekong, 17th April, 1873. ____ American, per barrel of 200 ha...... "A.D. 1720. Assorted WHEAT, Tientennation of the per pel. YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-CAMBERS, 888 THE undersigned having been appointed TION OF SHANGHAL. 8.76 a 7.20 Sugar, Canton white, I & 8 Agents for the above Corporation, are Batt and are all the can an an 20.00 a 20.50 BBB. is no tre ten san pro- see West Coast, Dk, Brown, 17 prepared to grant Insurances as follows: 23.00 a 22.50 CAPITAL AND SURPLUS 800,000 TAELS. ASTINGS, DD..... Manile, Dry White MARINE DEPARTMENT 3.75 a 8.00 Dr. Brown Policies at current rates, payable either hero. DOLICIES granted on Marine Risks to all 1870 a 16.60 Igon, Nail Rod Nos. 1 & 6 per picel 420 c 480 Page, White, London or at the principal Ports of India, parts of the World, at current rates. 1.90 a 1.95 Hoopstern neue nreiten en mit 4.50 a 4.65 2.10 a 2.25 This Association will, until further notice, China, and Australia. Bar, meren certer an tie en en an en en 4.05 a. 4.10 1.65 a 1.70 provide out of the earnings, first for an interest FIRE DEPARTMENT. 1.75 a 1.95 8.20 a 9.23 dividend of 15% for shareholders on Capital, Policies issued for long or short periods at 7.00 a 7.20 MUSHROOMS. 50.00 a 55.00 and thereafter distribute among Policy holders STREE, English,...... per tub. 4.80 a 4.90 EMAWEED, Groom, 185 a 2.00 current rates. annually, in cash, ALL the profits of the A discount of 20 %, allowed. 5.00 a 5.25 250 a 2.75 12.00 a 18.50

LIFE DEPARTMENT. IB PLATES,..... (see that Box 8.60 g 8.60 Policies issued for sums not exceeding 25,000. premium contributed. RUSSELL & Co., on reasonable terms-158.00 & 190.00 | VERMICELLI, Tientain...... 190.00 & 190.00 | BEES WAX, Japan, HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tf 1089 Honekong, 9th July, 1872. SPRETER 1283 Hougkong, 26th July, 1872 8.30 4 8.40 SHIPPING IN THE CANFON WATERS. Veesels. Captains. Tons Destination Destination. Captains. Consignees. CANTON HONGKONG. H.I.C.M. Stewart Ngan-tun Peng-chao-hoi H.I.C.M Palmer H.I.C.M Mackay Sui-Teing Freamers. H.I.C.M Olark Snn-Obee H.I.O.M. Le Buch In-an-Jan H.I.C.M. Fren. str | 2440 | Messageries Maritimes | Saigon, &c. Tien-Po A.B. Andrewe Brit. str 1190 P. & O. S. N. Co 1043 Wm. Pustan & Co. Ger. str Brit. str | 1348 | P. & O. S. N. Co Bombay, &c. O. G. Perrins MACAO. 798 Siemssen & Co Brit. etr Јашев Ноер 561 Tack-mee Brit. str 1019 P. & O. S. N. Co-Brit. str E. M. Edmond In port on 21st April, 1874. -116 H. K. & W. Dk. Co Tug Plying Brit. Btr Vicary Brit. etr A. Henrd & Co., Agent -1284 John Bard & Co M. Angelbeck A. E. Vidal Ritchie P. Hansen Albatros -277 D. Lapruk & Co Abbott Brit. str. Swatow, &c. 947 | Olano Peru, sh Agustina : Barvier: Brit. str. Siemseen & Co W. G. Comley 1552 | Penrce A. de Arancoa Peru. sh 1050 A. Heard & Co., Agent Brit. str. Camillo Cayour J. Yreberri 1326 Peru. sh A. Heard & Co., Agents Benning W. B. Boniface Brit. bk Coldstream P. & O. S. N. Co Yokohama Bernard 965 L. Oastagnina Peru. sh N. T. Armero Emigrante Kwok Acheong Brit, etr Koab Angel Fulle Fray Bentos Peru. sh 561 230 A. Heard & Co., Agents Amr. str Barros: P. Doose Gustav v Marie Ger. sh 552 Order Brit. atr 1890 A. Heard & Co., Agents Laid up. A. Vidaurazaga Peru. sh 1076 Macao 821 A. Heard & Co., Agents Laid up Brit: str Peru. sh 660 | Taton Providencia J. Ysanrieta Brit. str

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Bouriau & Co F. Ulrich Ger. 135 | Pasedug & Co Christensen Adeline B. P. Clough Russell & Co Amr. sh San Francisco 202 Ger. ach H. A. Petersen & Co D. B. S. Coloma Span. bk Auguste kieimers Reimers Manila Remedios & Co Maria y Vicenta 374 Elles & Co Brit. bk Jackson Brunette Ger. bk 7 518 | Remedice & Co. Minster Mary Anna 239 H. A. Petersen & Co Ger- bk Bertelsen Brit. bk Carl Wilbelm 242 Order Takno, &c. A. Blockey Nautilus 218 Elles & Co 265 H. A. Petersen & Co Toylor Brit, bk San Francisco Countess of Errol Russell & Co. Peru. Bb 1199 Erquiaga Petersen Gibb, Livingston & Co J. Dunchn Brit. bk MI Pasedag & Co Vahland Ger. sch Siam, bk Chinese. Emma F. Hunte Brit. Dk 375 Boyd & Co Novelty Limmer Brit, bk 307 Jardine, Matheson & Co Goffin 322 H. A. Petersen & Co Gor bg Moos Peter : 256 Pasedag & Co Kaemena Tartar Brit. sch ... 198 Tait & Co Trelevan Family Sutton RECEIVING VESSELS & HULKS. SHANGHAI. Pw. Mag. | 283 | Harbour Master Webster In port on 9th April, 1874. 1000 P. & O. Co Holk Purchase 318 Water Police Strond The names of the numerous steamers, luns. small craft, and receiving hulks employed on the Yong-tize are not included in this

686 | Frazar & Co Assala H. M. S. SHIPS IN THE CHINA SQUADRON. 1593 Frazar & Co Adelia Canleton Amr. bk Washburn 384 Jardine, Mathesoh & Co Brit. bk McLoughlan Albert Victor 373 Wm. Pustau & Co-Lord Fren. bk 774 F. Peil Carrique Amiral Devoulx Captain. Where At. 316 Jardine, Mathes n & Co Mundy Name. Geffrard Brit. bk 414 J. S. Baron G. Washington Ratsey Brit. bk 441 Lane, Crawford & Co Libas 1043 Russell & Co 4 120 Comr. Powlett Dwight doub, sc. gun vs. Steam Corvette Springfield 17 400 Capt. Wm. H. Whyte En route to Swatow 17 400 Captain T. E. Smith Singapore 936 Aug. Heard & Co. Maddon Whitehall 1100 Olyphant & Co. Steam Corvette Amr. ab Frost Wildwood Charybdia 160 Comdr. E. J. Church Amr. bk 782 Frazar & Co Staunard Windward doub. so, gun vi Curlew doub, so, gun vl. Comdr. B. W. Bax -Nagasaki Dwarf 4 120 Comdr. J. B. Barnett Tientsin doub. so. gun vl. double so. gun wi. 4 100 **ЧОКОНАМА**. Comdr. O. E. Buckle Hongkong Hongkong 4 120 Com. W. Stewart donb. sc. gon vl. Growler Comdr. Cameron Swatow doub, so, iron sh. 14 800 Capt. W. Arthur In port on 4th April, 1874 North double so, gun vi. 4 *100 Comdr. Theobald Foodhow: Kestrel: Hongkong. Military Hospital

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MANILA. SHIPPING IN THE CHINA WATERS. In port on 4th April, 1874. For Sale Swed. bl /234 Order Amoy Belted Will ---Captain. Destination. Consignees. 812 Ker & Co 363 Russell & Sturgis Charles Maureau Frem bk 520 Order Emiliano 🕾 WHAMPOA. 248 F. Rayes Flores de Maria 580 Russell & Sturgis 480 Russell & Sturgis Kate Waters STEAMERS. Leonor 1021 Ker & Co Amr. et Mindoro. Brib. str 69 Achcong 304 F. Reyee Penny Pepita 209 Z. L. de Aldecoa CANTON. 405 Castillo Hermanos Ross 1005 Pecia Hubbell & Co 518 Z. I. del Aldocos 255 Russell & Sturgis H.L.O.M. Poynter-Vicenta.

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